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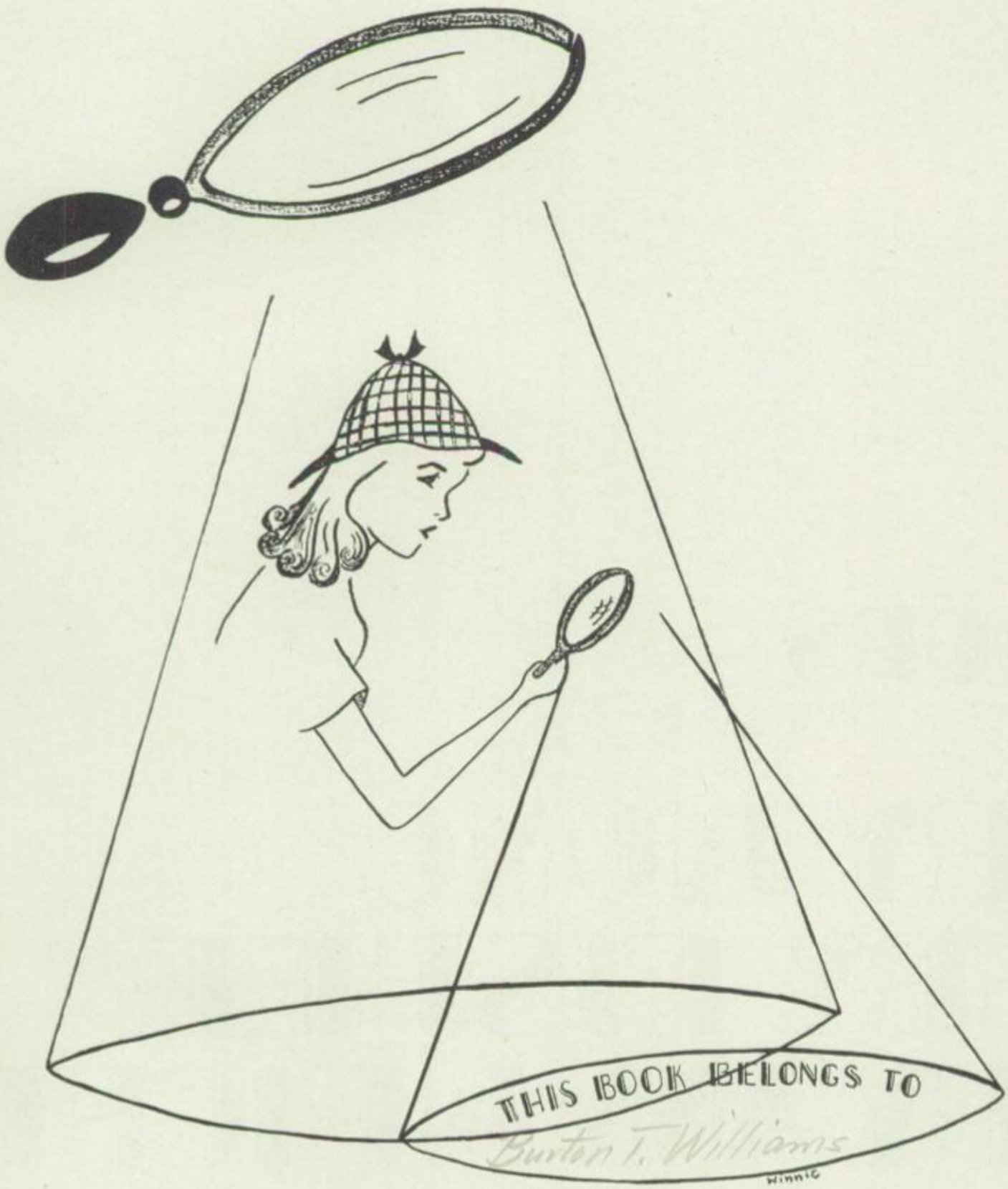
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Burton T. Williams

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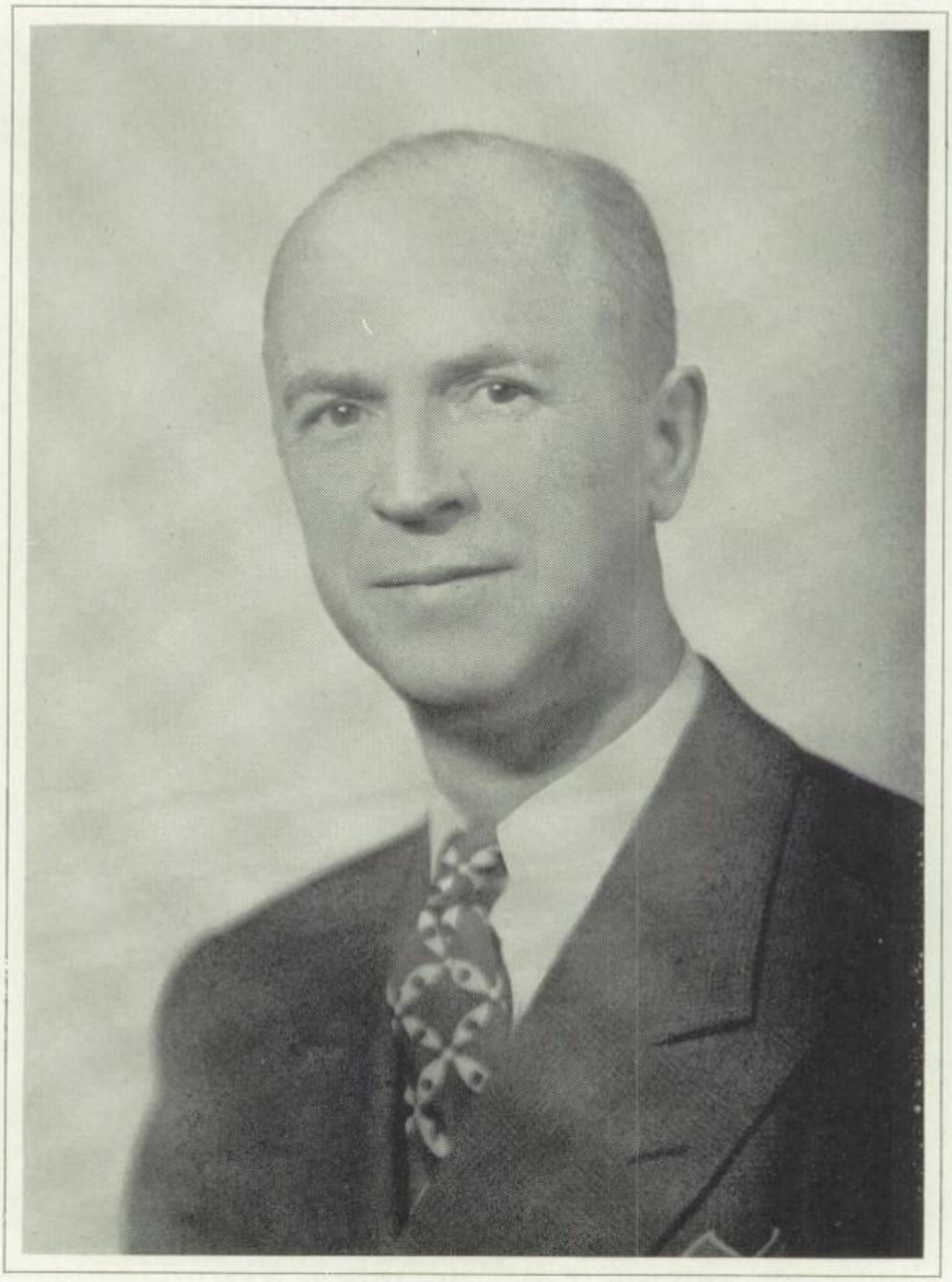
THE 1955 BELOITER

Foreword . . .

I am a yearbook. I record time—
a school year. My beat is 1225
Fourth Street, Beloit, Wisconsin.
My assignment: To provide a record
of the 1954-1955 term.

P.S. Evidence shows that
a favorite word around
headquarters is "Friday."

DEDICATION



MR. WILLIAM B. HENRY

This year THE BELOITER is very happy to dedicate its 1954-55 edition to Mr. William B. Henry. Mr. Henry is retiring at the end of the current year. He joined the high school staff in 1921. During his early years he taught history and music appreciation and was in charge of the high school orchestra.

We are very sorry that Mr. Henry is leaving us. We will miss his cheery smile and his piano playing, but we know his pleasant personality and his many kind acts will long be remembered by his students and associates. For his departure we would like to parody a familiar quotation: "Well done, good and faithful teacher."

DOCUMENTATION

MUG SHOTS CAPTAINS-SERGEANTS-ROOKIES

CLASSES

WANT THE FACTS, JUST THE FACTS

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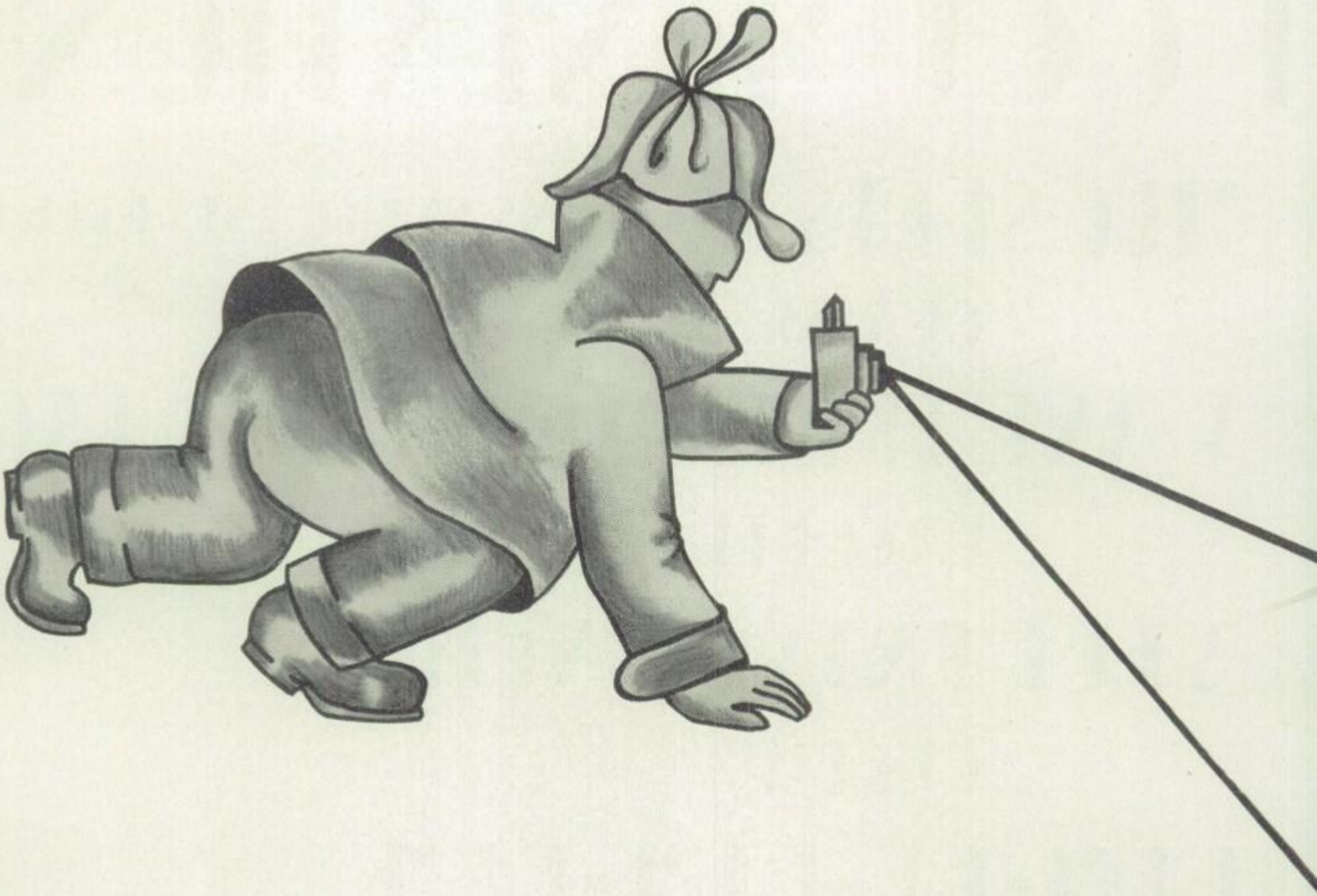


MUG SHOTS

SERGEANT-ROOKIES

CAPTAINS

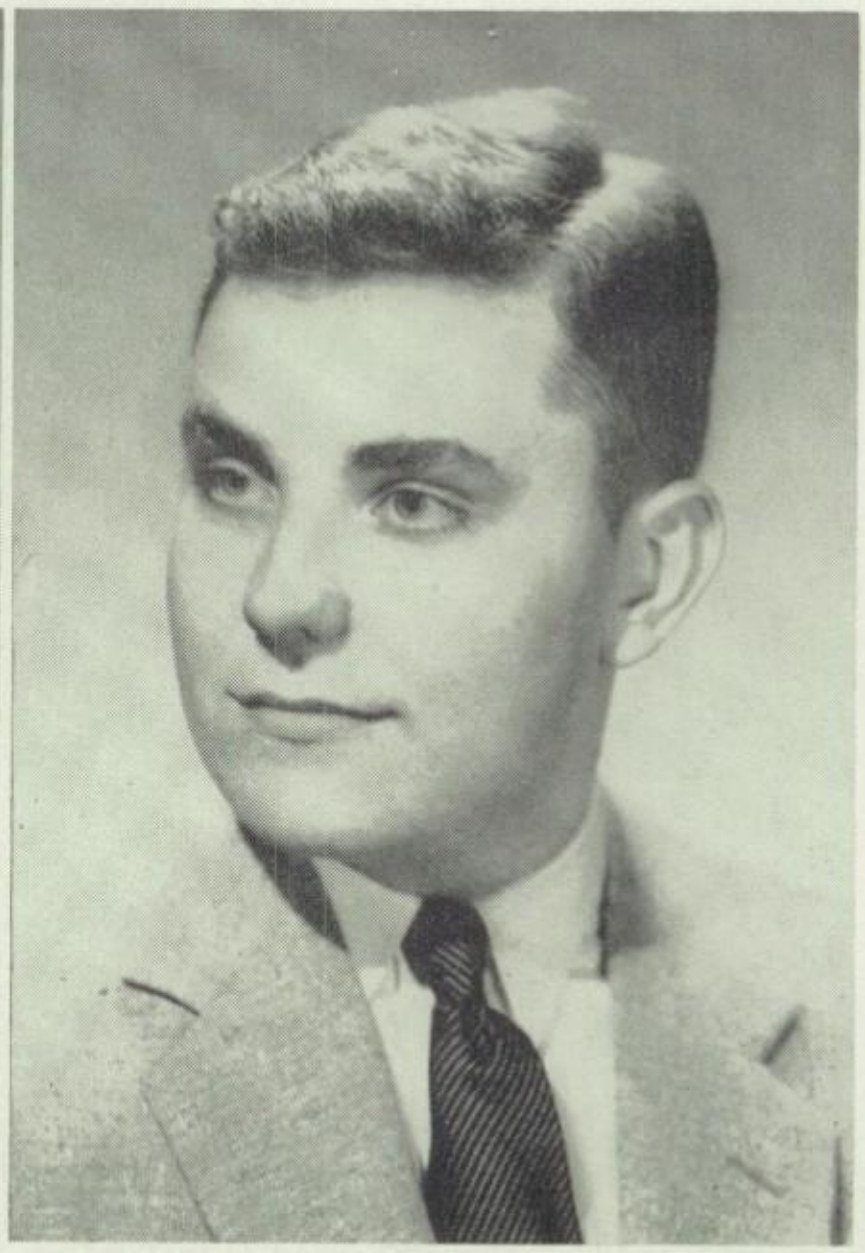
Katie Hauger

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

1
2
1. "I'll marry her myself"
2. How's it sound?
3. Messy ain't it?
4. First signs of graduation
5. Look Ma, No motor
6. The maestro
3
4
WE CAN BEAT WEST
5
6

VALEDICTORIANS

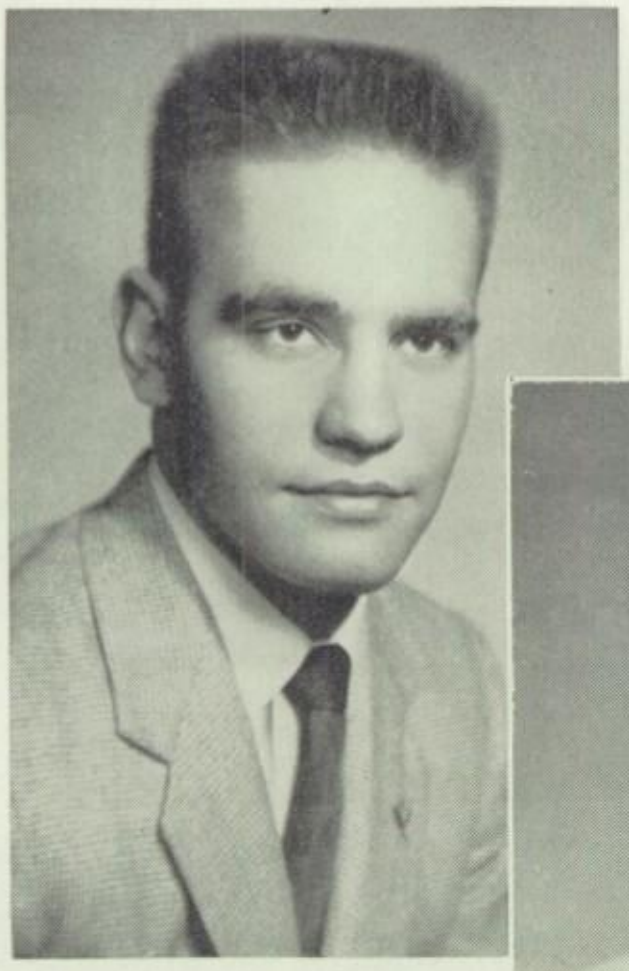
JACQUELINE RAE BURNHAM



ROBERT CHARLES PETROF

Jackie began her school career at Royce School in 1942 and attended Waterman and Roosevelt Junior High School. She has spent three years at Memorial High. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond H. Burnham, 1875 Park Avenue. In September, Jackie plans to enter Beloit College. Although her plans are not definite, she thinks she will enter the teaching profession.

Bob's school life began at Gaston school where he spent seven years. For three years he attended Lincoln Junior High before coming to Memorial High School to complete his education. Bob is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Petrof. He has decided upon pursuing a liberal arts course in the field of higher education, but has not decided which college he will attend.



JAMES WALKER
President

JO POLASKI
Secretary

STAN BOLEN
Vice President

Time—8:00 P.M., June 10, 1955; Place—Memorial High School Gym; Assignment—Graduation . . . Class of 1955.

Here are the facts . . .

We, the class of 1955, are now ready to leave Beloit Memorial High School and take our place in society. But, before we pass through these doors for the last time, let us turn and take a look at the memories that will go with us.

As Sophomores we elected Jim Walker, Jim Luety, and Judy Moore to be our class officers. Remember the all school play "Father of the Bride?" Dave Decker and John Reinholz were our contribution to the cast. Cynda Beth Amrine was the only Soph. ROTC sponsor that year too. 1953 was also the year we had an unbeaten football team, and one of the years we took our basketball team to the state tournament. "The Mikado" was our first operetta too, in fact, it was the first ever given at B.H.S.

During our Junior year we voted Dwayne Berg, Jim Walker, and Mary Wong class officers. And the all school play "George Washington Slept Here" had, as Junior cast members, Dan Lancaster John Reinholz, Reed Kammerer, and Jack Hill. In March of "54" we got our class rings, remember? We elected Dwayne Berg and Carol Knutsen as Junior King and Queen of the Junior-Senior Prom. Our operetta that year was "Patience". Jim Luety, Dwayne Berg, Mary Wong, and Janice Holmes were elected our student council officers; remember Jim's speech?

The first thing we knew we were Seniors and the best part of our school life was about to come to an end. Our class officers were Jim Walker, Stan Bolen, and Jo Polaski. Dena McCauley was our Homecoming Queen. Judy Walsh and Bob Perkins were co-editors for the Increscent; and Mary Wong, Mary Ann Wright, and Jerry Fisher were tri-editors of the Beloiter. The all school play was "A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court," and "Down in the Valley" and "Trial by Jury" our operettas, Midget Homecoming was something new for us too that year. "Ebb Tide" was the theme for the Junior-Senior Prom, with King Jack Freeman and Queen Jo Polaski. In the Senior court were Dave Schneider, Mary Ann Wright, Dwayne Berg and Karen Nelson. Katie Hauger was elected Battalion sponsor of the ROTC and the Military Ball was real "Kool" as we danced under those silver stars hanging from the arch. For our Senior Class Play we did "Time Out for Ginger", with Alice Porter, Jack Hill, and Peggy Oberbruner taking the leads. Remember the High School Swing Band and the fun we had at those Friday night dances? That was the year we got our new track too, and the year everyone laughed themselves silly at the Senior Talent Show and "Dink" Berg's imitations.

The time is now 9:30 P.M., June 10, 1955, graduation is over and there are few dry eyes as we, the class of 1955, take off our caps and gowns and give them to the Captains of next year.

CAPTAINS

KENNETH ERLING ACHERMAN
"Kenny"
"Printer"

MARY JO AHRENS
"Jo"
"Teacher"
Future Teachers 4; Jr. Theatre 4; Incresent 4; Latin 2; Band 2, 3, 4; GIA 2, 3

JOSEPH JAMES ALBA
"Joe"
"Jack of all trades"
Art 2; Wrestling 2, 3; Basketball 3, 4; Volleyball 4

JERILYN LEE ALBRIGHT
"Marriage"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4

VIRGINIA MAE ALLEN
"Ginny"
"Travel"

JOHN WINSTON AMEND
"Amo"
"To Graduate"
Latin 2

GERALD ERNEST AMES
"Jerry"
"Scout Executive, Architect"
R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4

CYNDA BETH AMRINE
"Cyn"
"Major in Piano"
Beloiter 3, 4; Incresent 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Latin 2; Interclub 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; R.O.T.C. Sponsor 3

CHARLENE LOU ANDERSON
"Charl"
"Secretarial Work"
Commercial 2, 3, 4

ELLEN LUCINDA ANDERSON
"Ellie"

COLLEEN ARMSTRONG
"Colli"
"Professor of Anatomy and Physiology"
Jr. Theatre 3; Jr. Red Cross 3, 4; GIA 2, 3; Latin 2

JOYCE DARLENE AUSTIN
"Joy"
"Stenographer"

BETTY BERNICE BAILEY
"Bets"
"Secretary"
Commercial 4; Library 2; Home Ec. 2

JOAN DARLENE BAKKE
"Jo"
"Work"
Home Ec. 4

BETTY LOU BALDWIN
"Bet"
"Nursing"
Choir 4

CAPTAINS

OPAL EVELINA BANDY
"Ope"
"Work"

BEVERLY ANN BARNES
"Bev"
"Nurses' Training"
Y-Teens 2; Pep Band 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2; Latin 2; Jr. Theatre 2, 3

ROBERT VICKERMAN BAUER
"Bob"
"Work"

PATRICIA MARIE BAUMAN
"Pat"
"Marriage, Work"

JEAN IRENE BEEMAN
"Jeanne"
"Airline Hostess"

TOMAS EUGENE BEISCHEL
"Tom"
"Navy"
B-Club 2; Basketball 2; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; McNeel Rifles 3, 4; Non Coms 3, 4

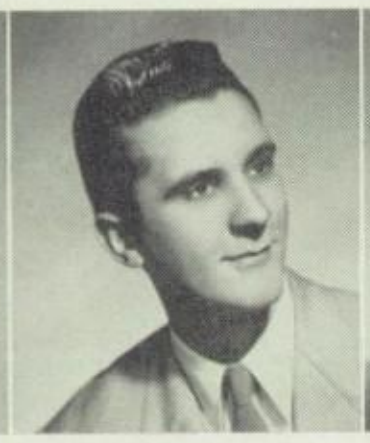
JOHN ADOLPH BENKOVICH
"Jack"
"College-Engineering"
B-Club 4; Hi-Y 4; Swimming 3, 4; Wrestling 4; Jr. Theatre 3; Latin 2; Student Council 4; NHS 4; H. R. Bankers 2, 3, 4

DWAYNE PAUL BERG
"Dink"
"College, Marriage"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4, Vice Pres. 4; Class Pres. 3; Jr. Theatre 2; NHS 3, 4

SHIRLEY EILEEN BERRYMAN
"Shirl"
"Nursing"

LUCILLE HELEN BIERYT
"Lucy"
"Secretary"
Commercial 4

RUTH ANN BLOEDEL
"Secretary"
NHS 3, 4; Commercial 2, 3, 4

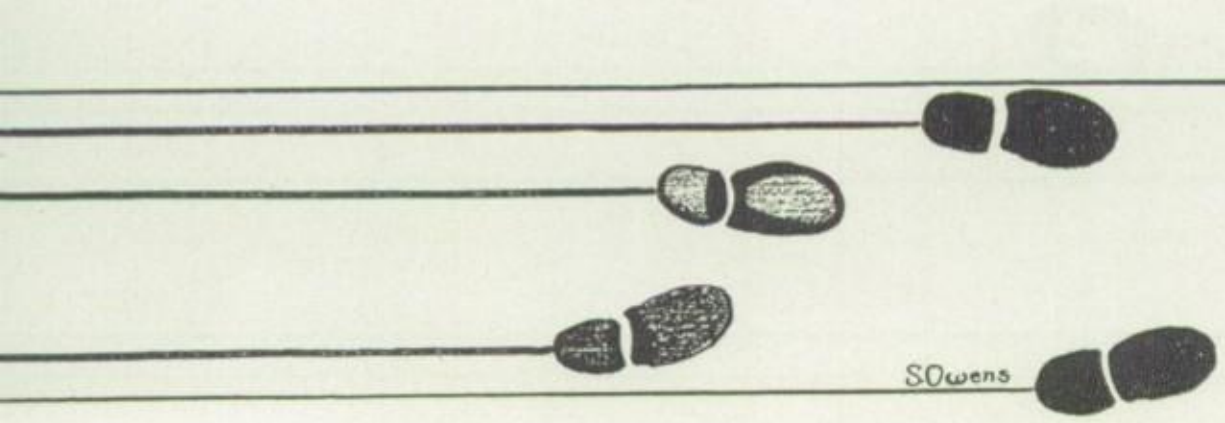


ROGER BLOHM
"Sarg"
"College"
Non Coms 3, 4; Silver Sabers 4; Jr. Theatre 3

WILLIAM GENE BLUM
"Bill"
"Work"
R.O.T.C. 2, 3; Art 4; AV 3, 4; Beloiter 4

STANLEY BOLEN
"Stan"
"Marriage, Army"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Class Vice Pres. 4

JOHN LAWRENCE BOLSTAD
"Johnny"



CAPTAINS

PATTY ANN BONAFEDE
"Pat"
"College, Marriage"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4

CATHERINE FRANCIS BORGOGNI
"Kathy"
"Nursing"

JOHN JESUE BORGOGNI
"Gusue"
"Machinist"

ROGER KEITH BORKENHAGEN
"Rog"
"Engineering"
AV 2, 3; Latin 2; Photography 3; Creative Writing 4

DALE ALLAN BOWN
"D. B."
Wrestling 4

RAMONA LOUSE BRANDENBURG
"Ram"
"Marriage"

SUZANE LOUIS BRANDT
"Suz"
"Beauty Parlor Operator"
Art 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 2; Jr. Theatre 2

CARL EDWARD BREHM
"Cully"
"College"
Golf Team 3, 4

ELLEN LOUISE BREWSTER
"Brew"
"College"
Bowling 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4, Sec. 3; GIA 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3; Creative Writing 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3

FREDERICK WILLIAM BROCKUS
"Fritz"
"Owner of Rabbit Ranch"

GERALDINE KAY BROHN
"Gerry"
"Marriage"
Bowling 3; HR Banker 2, 3; Commercial 4

DELORES MARIE BUE
"De"
"Private Secretary, Marriage"
Jr. Theatre 3, 4; Y-Teens 4; HR Bakner 2, 4; GIA 2, 3

BARBARA KAY BUNNELL
"Bunny"
"Teacher"
Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4, Sec. 4; Art 2, 3, 4; Latin 2; Future Teachers 3, 4, Sec. 4; Beloiter 3, 4; Chorus 3; Choir 4; Art Staff for Stage Crew 2, 3, 4, Chairman 4; NHS 3, 4

BARBARA JEAN BUNTING
"Barb"
Bowling 3, 4; Library 3, 4; Pep Club 4

JACQUELINE RAE BURNHAM
"Jackie"
"College"
Future Teachers 3, 4, Pres. 4; NHS 3, 4; Student Council 3; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Beloiter 4; Choir 3, 4; Art Staff for Stage Crew 4

CLAYTON BYRNS
"Chyde"

PAUL DAVID CAMPBELL
"Air Force"
R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4

CRAIG TAYLOR CAPPS
"Moose"
"College"
B-Club 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4

PEGGEY ANN CARD
"Peg"
"Marriage"
Bowling 2, 3, 4; GIA 2, 3, 4

JACOB CATES
"Jake"
R.O.T.C. 2, 3

CAROLE JEAN CHALMERS
Jr. Theatre 2, 3

GEORGIA CHALMERS
"George"
"Teaching"
GIA 2, 3, 4

JOHN ERNEST CHAMPLIN
"Champ"

ELI MYRON CHIALDA
"Wolfie"
"Air Force"
Hi-Y 4; AV 4

HELEN ANN CHISHOLM
"Chis"
"Nursing"
Art 4; Bowling 2; Jr. Theatre 2, 3; Y-Teens 2, 3

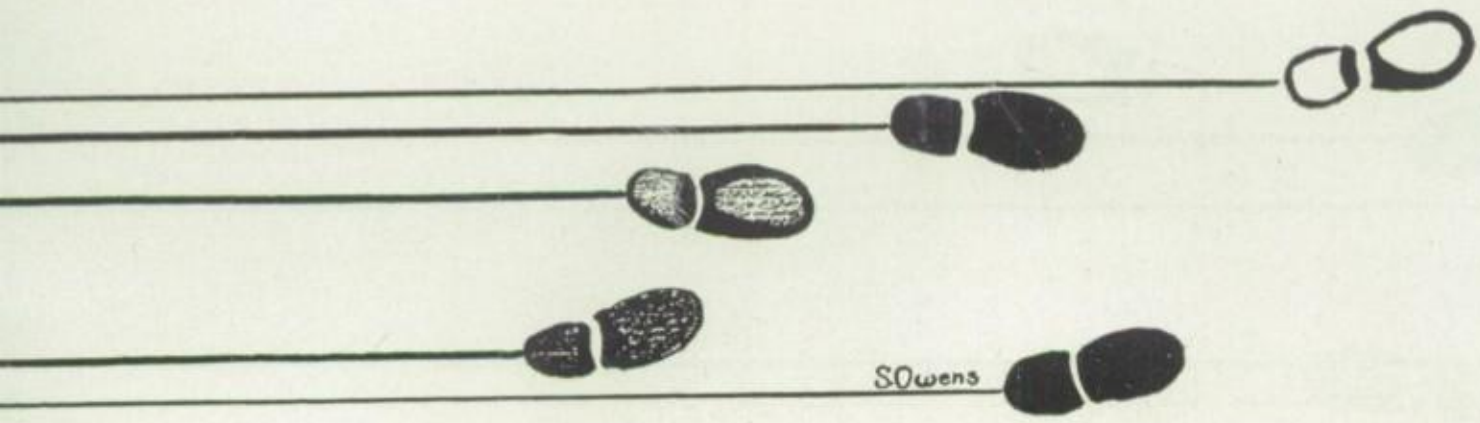
PHYLLIS MARLENE CHISHOLM
"Chis"
"Nursing"
Jr. Theatre 2, 3; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Art 3, 4

EDITH MAE CHRISTIAN
"Lisa"
Y-Teens 2, 3; Art 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4

PHILLIP EARL CHRISTIANSEN
"Phil"
"Architect"

CHARLES LESTER CLARK
"Electronics"

CLAUDETTE JUNE CODY
"Red"
"Secretary"



CAPTAINS

JAMES CLIFFORD COLBY
"Jay Cobb"
"Baseball Player"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4

MARY ELIZABETH COLE
"Lizzie"
"Modeling"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; French 2; HR Banker 2, 3, 4; Commercial 4

RUTH MARIE CORVAIA
"Mike"
"Nurse"
Future Nurses 3, 4; Sewing 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 3, 4

MARY FRANCES CORYELL
"Penny"
"Training Horses"

MARY KAY CRAWFORD
"College"
GIA 2, 3; Commercial 4; Pep Club 3, 4

KENNETH ROY CRITTENDEN
"Crit"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4

JANET LOUISE CROWLEY
"Crow"
"Travel"
Orchesis 4

DARLEEN MAE CUNNINGHAM
"Dar"
"Marriage"

ESTELLA MAE CUSHMAN
"Stell"
"College"
Art 2, 4, Pres. 4; Choir 3, 4; Future Teacher 4; Jr. Theatre 4; Stage Crew Art Staff 4

GERALD EARL DAOUST
"Jerry"
"Air Force"

CAROL ANN DARY
"Dare"
"Airline Stewardess"
Jr. Theatre 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Interclub 2, 3, 4

MARIE DAVIDSON

SHIRLEY ANN DAVIS
"Shirl"
"Airline Stewardess"

DAVID JON DECKER
"Rogo"
"College"
Choir 2, 3; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; Silver Sabers 4; Stage Crew 2, 3

EVELYN JEAN DECKER
"Evie"
"College"
Increscent 3, 4; French 2

CAPTAINS

RUSSELL JOHN
DIERDORFF
"Russ"

JANICE ILENE DIETZ
"Jan"
"Secretary"

JAMES MAYNARD
DOLPHIN
"Jim"

WARREN DREW
"Electronics"
B-Club 3

HARRIETT ALICE DUNN
"Hollie"
"Work"

DORIS ANN EARL
"Squirrel"
"Stenographer"

JERRY WILLIAM
EDWARDS
"Ed"
"Army, Engineering"
Student Council 2, 3, 4;
Basketball 2, 3

MARLENE LAVONNE
EDWARDS
"Mar"
"Dance Instructor"

PHYLLIS VERNINE
EDWARDS
"Fefe"
"Business School"

ROBERT McCLELLAND
EGLESTON
"Bob"
"Air Force"

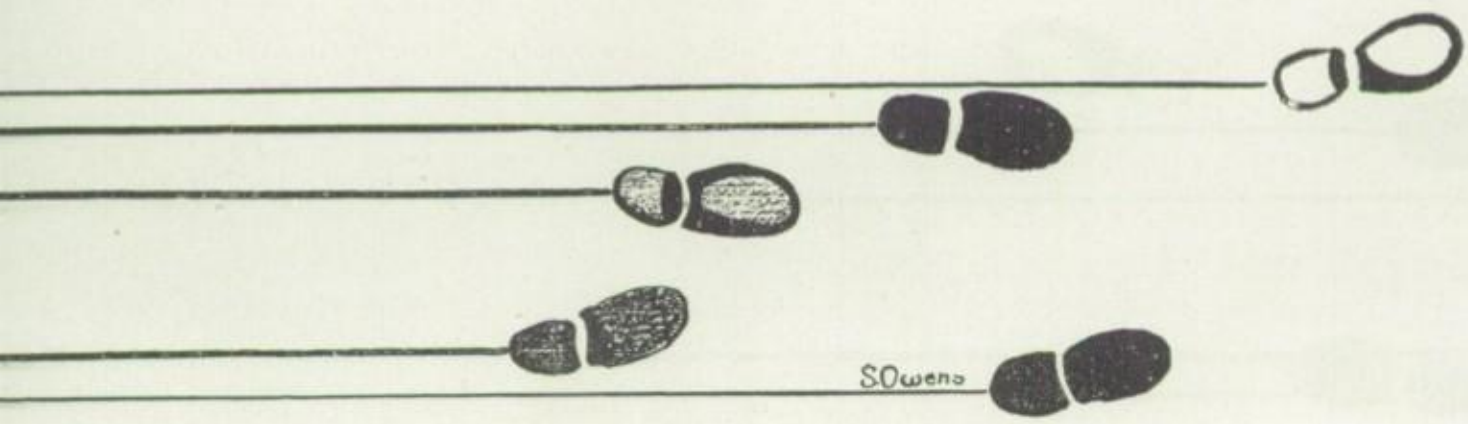
NANCY KAY ELERT
"Nance"
"Secretarial School"
Bowling 2; Jr. Theatre 2, 4;
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Commercial
2; GIA 2

PATRICIA ANN ELLIOTT
"Trinker"
Art 3; Y-Teens 4

JACQUELINE ANN ELLIS
"Jackie"
"Secretary"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4

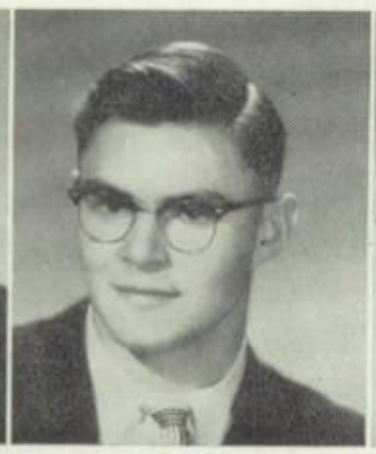
THOMAS FRANCIS
ENKING
"Ink"
"Night Club Singing"
Bowling 4; R.O.T.C. 2, 3,
4; Choir 3, 4

D'ANN EVANS
"Dee Dee"
"Airline Hostess"
Band 2; Incresent 2



CAPTAINS

JAMES HARVEY EWING
"Jim"
"College"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Golf 2, 3, 4



JERRY KAMM FISHER
"Jerry"
"College"
Debate 2, 3, Vice Pres. 2, Pres. 3; Jr. Th. 2, 3, Vice Pres. 3; Dance Band 2, 3; Increscent 2, 3; Beloiter 3, 4, Tri-Editor 4; Tennis 2; Forensics 2, 3; Jr. Red Cross 3, 4; S. C. 3; ROTC 2, 3, 4; NHS 3, 4

LOWELL ED FJALSTAD
"Chuck"
"Draftsman"
B-Club 3

JOYCE MARGARET FLOM
"Joy"
"Secretary"
Commercial 2, 3, 4

MARLENE RUTH FOAT
"Mars"
"Phy. Ed. Teacher"
GIA 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2, 4

BARBARA JEAN FORBES
"Barb"
"Secretary"
GIA 4; Commercial 4

CAROL ANN FOSSUM
"Karole"
"Nursing"
Latin 2; GIA 2; Bander 2; Y-Teens 2; Student Council 3, 4; Home Ec. 3, 4; Beloiter 3; Future Nurses 3; Jr. Theatre 4

JAMES LEROY FOURTOUNIS
"Sonny"
"Work"

H. BRUCE FOWLER
"Booze"
"College"
Stage Crew 2, 3, 4; Lighting Engineer 3; Co-Stage Manager 4; Art 3, 4; Beloiter 4; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; McNeal Rifles 3, 4; Silver Sabers 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; H. R. Banker 3, 4; Orchesis 4, Pres. 4; FTA 4

MARCUS FRANDA
"Mark"
"College"
Hi-Y 4; French 2; Jr. Theatre 2; Band 2, 3, 4; Swing Band 2, 4; R.O.T.C. 2; Student Council 2

JACK EDWARD FREEMAN
"Sleepy"
B-Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4

DONNA FAYETTE FULLER
"Donna"
"Stenographer"

SHIRLEY ANN FULLER
"Shirl"
"Marriage"

JANICE MARIE GAFKE
"Jan"
"Nursing"
Bowling 2; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; French 2; Spanish 3, 4; Fuure Nurses 4; H. R. Banker 4; Beloiter Ad. 4

EDWARD ERNEST GARBE
"Ed"
"Marriage"
Silver Sabers 4; McNeel Rifles 2, 3, 4, Commander 4; Rifle Team 3

CAPTAINS

NEAL DEAN GARVEY

RONALD K. GASERUDE
"Ron"
"Auto Racing"
Football 4; Cross Country 2; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4

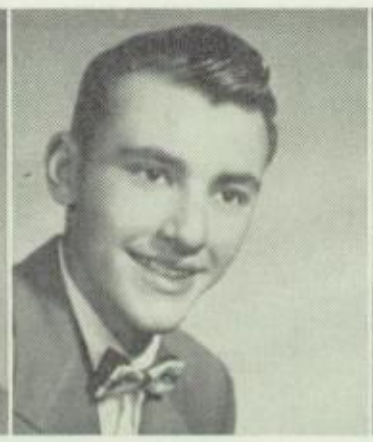
CHARLES BERTRAM GEORGE
"Charlie"
"College"

ROSEMARY ELIZABETH GHARRITY
"Rosie"
"College, Marriage"
Student Council 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2; Y-Teens 2, 3; GIA 2, 3; Spanish 2

MARLYS REA GILBERTSON
"Secretary"
Commercial 2, 3, 4; Increscent 2, 3

DONALD WILBUR GIVHAN
"Weasel"
"Navy"

IRMA LOUISE GJERSETH
"Irm"
"College"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2; Beloiter Ad. 4; Commercial 3; Student Council 2, 3



THOMAS RAYMOND GOLDSWORTHY
"Tom"
"College"
Debate 4

LORENZO DOW GOODRICH
"Buck"
"College"
Band 2, 3, 4; Dance Band 4; Cross Country 2; Basketball 2, 3; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4

WINIFRED ARLENE GORDON
"Winnie"
"College"
Treble Clef 2, 3, 4; Future Teachers 3, 4; French 2; Art 3

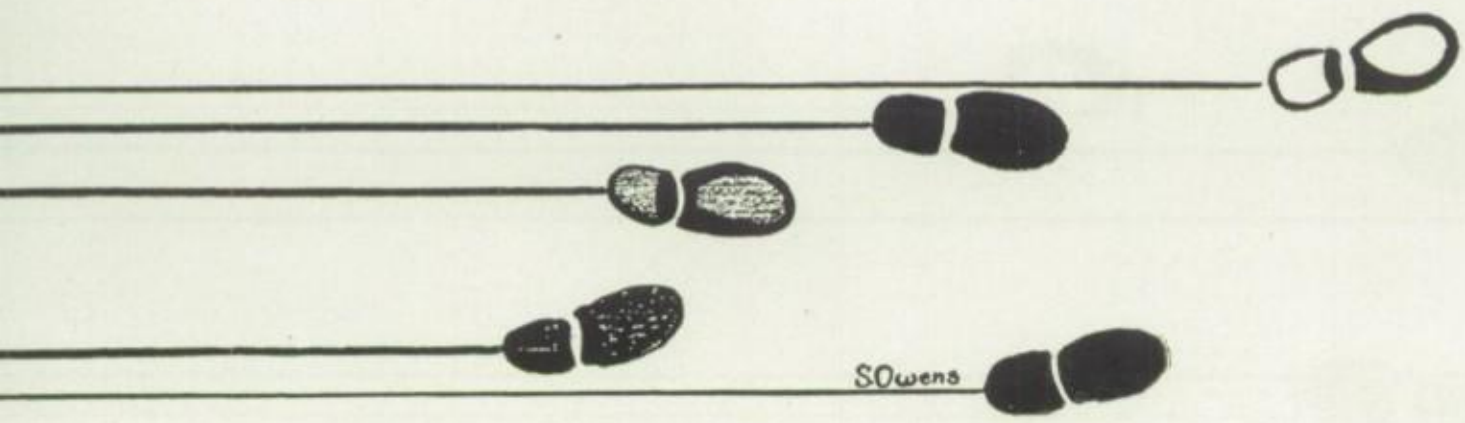
RICHARD MARION GOVERT
"Dick"
"Farming"

MARY VALENTINE GRAFTON
"Travel to Texas"
Home Ec. 2, 3, 4

NANCY SUZANNE GRAHM
"Nance"
"Airline Hostess"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4

CHARLENE CHARLOTTE GRANGER
"Char"
"College, Marriage"

MILDRED LOIS GRASKE
"Millie"
"Marriage"



CAPTAINS

GEORGE GORDON GREEN
"Army"
R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; Silver Sabers 4

MARY ELLEN HABERLE
"Business College"
Commercial 4; Jr. Theatre 4

EDNA JOYCE HAHN
"Edie"
"Travel to Texas"
Home Ec. 2, 3, 4

GERALD DALE HALOM
"Jerry"
"Farming"

ARLAN DEAN HALVENSLEBEN
"Ar"
"World Travel"
Hi-Y 4; B-Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4

CHARLES ARNOLD HAMILTON
"Chuck"
"Farmer"
FFA 2, 3; B-Club 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 2, 3; Track 2, 3

RONALD DUANE HANSON
"Ronnie"
"Army"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 3; Track 3, 4

RONALD KEITH HANSON
"Ron"

SHIRLEY MARIE HANSON
"Shirl"
"Marriage"
Jr. Theatre 2, 3; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4

ANNIE DAIL HARRELL

JACK KENNEDY HARRIS
"Kike"
"Army"
Hi-Y 2, 4, Pres. 4

LAVAUGHN JOYCE HARTMAN
"Vonnie"
"Beauty Operator"
Commercial 4

GEORGE HENRY HATTIEX
"Hank"
"Air Force"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 2, 3; Football 2; Track 2

KATHLEEN WINIFRED HAUGER
"Katie"
"Artist"
Art 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2; Increscent 4; Student Council 4; Beloiter 4; NHS 4; R.O.T.C. Sponsor 4

CAROLYN ARLENE HAZLETT
"Twin"
"Artist"
Art 2, 3, 4

MARILYN LORISE HAZLETT
"Twin"
"Artist"
Art 2, 3, 4

PATRICIA ANN HENDEE
"Pat"
"Marriage"

PATRICIA LEE HENDRICKS
"Pat"
"Marriage"

THOMAS EUGENE HEROLD
"Uncle Harry"
"College"
Student Council 2, 3, 4; B-Club 3, 4; Football 3; FFA 2, 3, 4

CHERYL ANN HESSLER
"Marriage"
Jr. Red Cross 2, 3; Student Council 2, 3

JACK HILL
"Jackson"
"College"
R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; Stage Crew 3, 4; Co-Stage Manager 4; Silver Sabers 4; Jr. Theatre 3, 4, Pres. 4; Golf 2; McNeel Rifles 3, 4; Rifle Team 2, 3, 4

SANDRE ANN HILL
"Sandy"
Commercial 2, 3, 4; Beloiter 2, 3; Cheerleader 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Interclub 2, 3; GIA 2, 3; Bowling 2

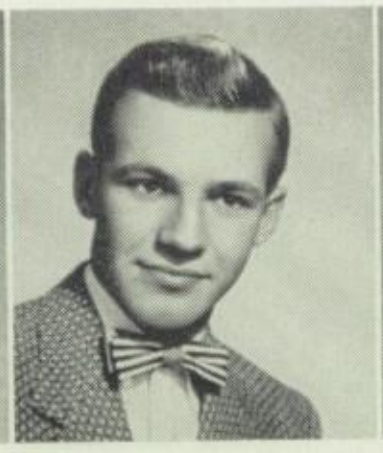
DAVID EDWARD HIRSIG
"Dave"
"College"
Photography 2, 3; Creative Writing 4; Increscent 2, 3, 4

GERALD RAY HOFFMAN
"Butcher"
"T. V. Repairman"

BEVERLY ANN HOLLENBACH
"Bev"
"Teaching Accordion"
Chorus 2, 3, 4

JOHN DUANE HOLLIBUSH
R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4

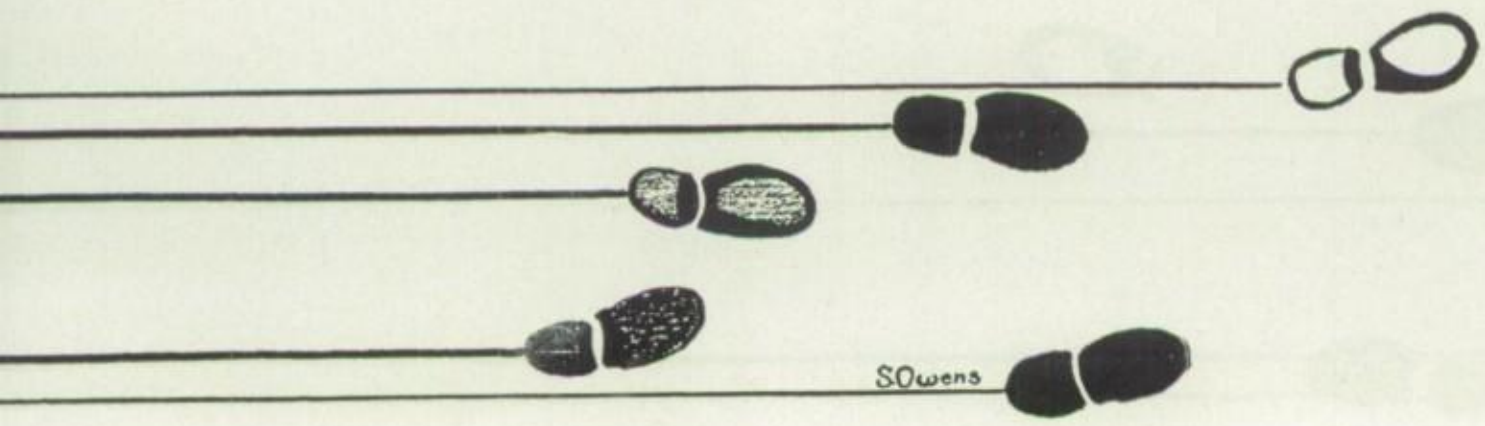
JANICE ELAINE HOLMES
"College"
NHS 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4, Treas. 4; Jr. Red Cross 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3



JERRY LEO HOLZER
"Numb"
"College"
R.O.T.C. 2, 3

BEVERLY BETH HOLZMILLER
"Bev"
"Beautition"
Jr. Theatre 2

GLORIA DOWN HORNE
"Glo"
"Office Work"
Y-Teens 2, 3; Student Council 2; French 2; Jr. Theatre 2



CAPTAINS

WILLIAM WARREN HOUSE
"Bill"
"Teacher"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Spanish 3; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4

JOHN EUGENE HOWARD

RAYMOND WILFRED HURLEY
"Ray"
"Air Force"
R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; McNeel Rifles 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 4

HELEN JUNE HUTTON
"Nurses' Training"
Latin 2; Jr. Red Cross 4; Office Girl 2, 3; Future Nurses 3, 4; Pep Club 3

LULA BELLE HUYEK

KEITH DARRELL INGHAM
German 2; Band 2, 3, 4; HR Banker 4; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 3

LARRY EVERETT IRISH
"Rube"
"Travel"
HR Banker 4

BOBBIE FRANCES JACKSON
"College"
Cheerleader 4; Orchesis 4; Future Nurses 4; GIA 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 4

CARL DOUGLAS JACKSON
"Farming"

PRISCILLA JANE JACOBSON
"Mitzi"
"Doctor's Associate"
GIA 2, 3, 4; Future Nurses 3, 4; Home Ec. 2, 3, 4

RONALD CHARLES JENSEN
"Ronnie"
"Draftsman"

JOYCE ELAINE JOHNS

CHARLES ROBERT JOHNSON
"Chuck"
"Navy"
Band 2, 3, 4; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; Non Coms. 4

CLARICE JOHNSON

KATHRYN NANCY JOHNSON
"Kathy"
"Airline Hostess"

CAPTAINS

RUSSELL JAMES JOHNSON
"Russ"
"Army"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 2, 3, 4

SHIRLEY ANN JOHNSON
"Shirl"
"College"
Jr. Theatre 2; French 2; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Interclub 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3; Spanish 3; Cheerleading 4

THOMAS ROBERT JOHNSON
"Johnch"
"Army"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2

PATRICIA JEAN JOHNSON
"Trish"
"Nurse"
GIA 2, 3; Bowling 2, 3, 4; Future Nurses 3, 4

JO ANN JONES
"Jo"
Commercial 2, 3, 4

TOBEY ANN JONES
"Annalita"
"Marriage"
Commercial 2, 3, 4

JUDITH ELAINE JUNIG
"Judy"
"College"
Library 3, 4, Pres. 4; Office Girl 3, 4; Ushers Club 3

ALAN REED KAMMERER
"Kam"
Hi-Y 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; B-Club 4

JOAN MAE KAPUZINSKY
"Jo"
Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; B-Club 4

HENRY RICHARD KASTER
"Hank"
"Carpenter"
Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Stage Crew 3

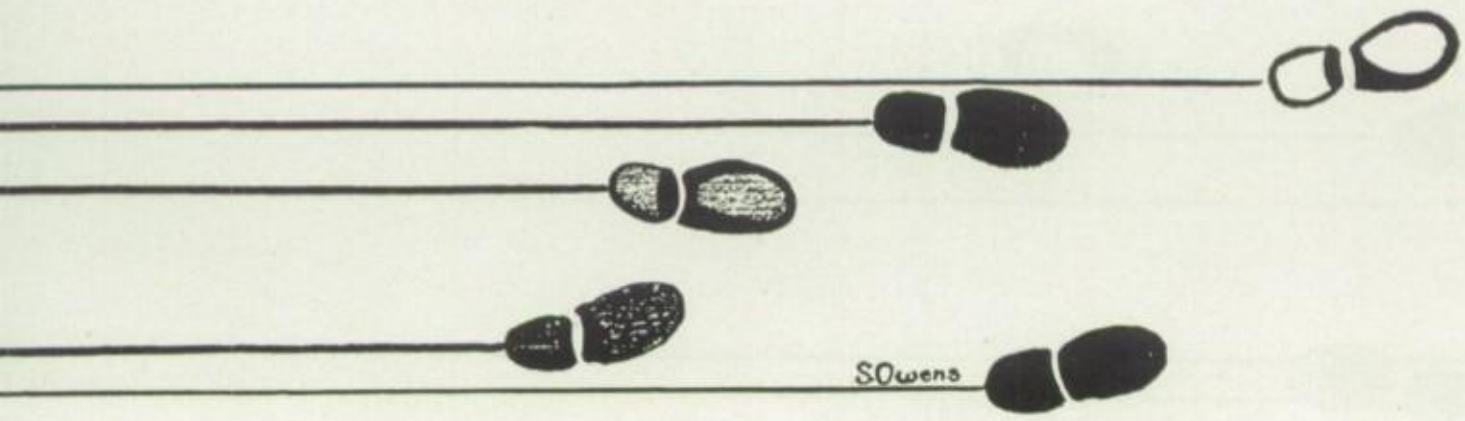
ELAINE ALICE KATSARAS
"Layne"
"Business"
Commercial 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4

PHYLLIS CECELIA KEITH
"Phyl"
Commercial 2, 3, 4

PHILLIP CLARENCE KEMNITZ
"Phil"
"Navy"
Football 2, 3, 4; B-Club 2, 3, 4; R.O.T.C. 2, 3

WILLIAM KERWIN
"Bill"
"College"
Spanish 2, 3; Hi-Y 4

DOUGLAS GAYLIN KEVER
"Doug"
"Entertainment"
Art 3; Choir 2, 3, 4; R.O.T.C. 2; Incresent 2



CAPTAINS

ERNEST WALTER KIMMEL
"Ernie"
"College"
Debate 3, 4; NHS 3, 4; McNeel Rifles 3, 4; AV 2; Silver Sabers 4; Latin Club 2; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4

CAROL JEAN KING
"Marriage"
Bowling 2, 3, 4

JACK CLAUDE KING
"Farming"
Jr. Theatre 3; FFA 2, 3, 4

PATSY ANN KISSINGER
"Pat"

SHARRY LOUISE KLEINER
"Lou"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Office Girl 2, 3

PATRICIA ANN KNAPP
"Corky"
"Business College"
Commercial 2

SHARON JOANNE KNOUP
"College"
Art 4; Office Girl 2

CAROL ANN KNUTSEN
"Knute"
"Teaching"
Future Teachers 4; Jr. Red Cross 3, 4; Band 2, 3; Jr. Theatre 3; Y-Teens 2

BARBARA JEAN KNUTSON
"Barbs"
"Business"

SANDRA ELAINE KNUTSON
"Sandy"
"College"
Jr. Theatre 3; NHS 3, 4; Jr. Red Cross 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Dance Band 4

DOROTHY EVELYN KOPP
"Dottie"
"Marriage"

JEAN MARY KRANTZ
"Marriage"

DAVID THOM KUBACK
"Dave"
"College"
Increasent 3, 4; Quill and Scroll 3, 4; Latin 2; Basketball 2; Hi-Y 4

DANIEL BALL LANCASTER
"Dan"
"College"
Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Dance Band 3, 4; Hi-Y 4

JANICE ELAINE LANG
"Jan"
"College"
Art 2, 3, 4; French 2; Jr. Theatre 2, 3; NHS 3, 4; Y-Teens 2; Beloiter 4

CAPTAINS

ROBERT LAVERNE LANGKLOTZ
"Lou"
"Navy"

EUGENE RAY LARKIN
"Gene"
"College"
Latin 2; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; Non Coms. 4; Band 2, 3, 4

ROGER LARKIN
Band 2, 3, 4

PHYLLIS ANN LEE
"Phyl"
"Work"
Spanish 2; Jr. Theatre 2, 3

SHIRLEY ANN LEIBOVITZ
"Shirl"
"College"
Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Art 2, 3, 4

PHILLIP JOHN LICARY
"Newt"
"Salesman"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4

JOHN HOWARD LORTS
"Chica"
"College"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4

ANN ELIZABETH LOWELL

ELSIE JEAN LUBOW
"Jean"
"Work"

JAMES OLAF LUETY
"Lute"
"College"
FFA 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4

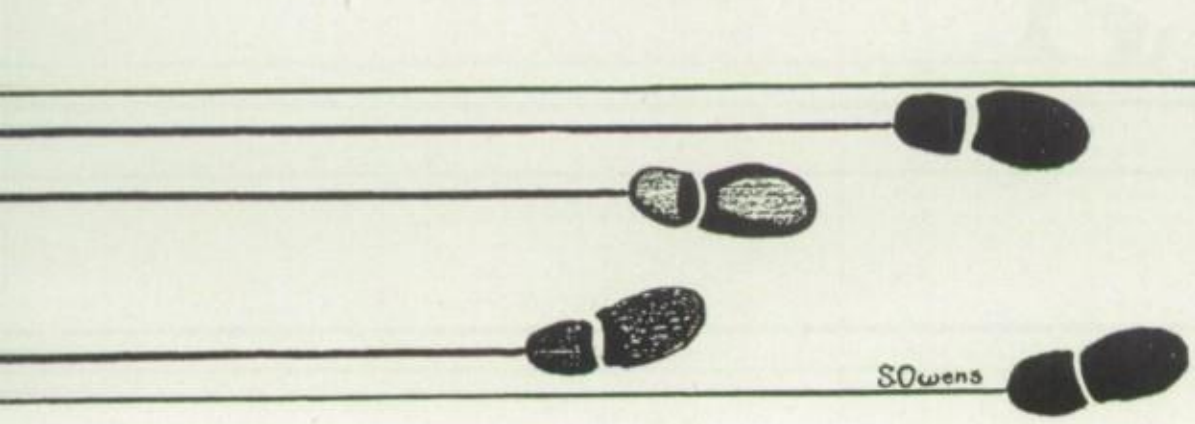
DENA LOU McCAULEY
"MaLou"
"Private Secretary"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3; Pep Club 4; Latin 2; GIA 2, 3

MONTE BLU McCLAREN

CHARLES WILLIAM McCLURE
"Mac"
"College"
Photography 2, 3, 4; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; Silver Sabers 4; NHS 3, 4

MARVIN GEORGE McCORD
"Spike"
"Air Force"
Photography 4

VIRGINIA LEE McGINNIS
"Genny"
"Beauty Operator"



CAPTAINS

PATRICIA ANN McGRAW
"Pat"
"Working"
Incresent 2, 3, 4

JANICE ANN McKAY
"Jan"
"Nurses' Training"
Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Future Nurses 4; Chorus 2

FRED JEROME McQUADE
"Mortician"
Band 2; Hi-Y 4; B-Club 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3; Swimming 3

RALPH WARREN MACKIE
"Mak Man"
"College"
FFA 2, 3, 4

JOAMMA ELLA MADLEY
"Jo"
"Housewife"

LORETTA MARLYN MAHAN
"Ret"
"Travel"
GIA 2, 3, 4

CATHERINE DIANA MANNINO
"Minnow"
"Nurses' Training"
Student Council 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Latin 2

GEORGE ELLERY MARSDEN
"Salesman"

WALTER FRANCIS MARSHALL
"Wally"
"Navy"

MARIAN CECELIA MARX
"Toots"
"Nurses' Training"
Future Nurses 3, 4

RICHARD ALBRA MASON
"Dick"
"Navy"
Band 2

ROLAND OTTO MELBYE

JEROLD LAMBERY MIKKELSEN
"Jerry"
"Radio Serviceman"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3

THOMAS ARTHUR MILLER
"Tom"
"College"
Hi-Y 4

ROLF FRENCH MJAANES
"College"
Incresent 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4; French 2; Jr. Theatre 2, 3; Beloiter 4; NHS 4; Orchestra 4

ROZELLAN MONROE
"Rosie"
"Nurses' Training"
Future Nurses 4; Bowling 4

THOMAS EDWARD MORAN
"Tom"
"College"

BEVERLY ANN MORELAND
"Bev"
"Secretary"
Commercial 2, 3, 4

JOHN CLARK MOSEMAN

GERALD LYNN MURRAY
"Fuzzy"
"Pattern Maker"

WILLIAM ALBERT NEHLS
"Bill"
"Work"
B-Club 2, 3, 4

LORRAINE MAE NELSON
"Rae"
"Art School"
GIA 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; HR Banker 2, 3, 4; Increscent 2, 3; Jr. Theatre 2, 3; Home Ec. 4; Orchesis 4; Art 2, 3, 4; NHS 4; Beloiter 4

ROBERT WILLIAM NEWFIELD
"Bob"
"College"
Student Council 2, 3, 4

NATHAN HAROLD NILES
"Nat"
"College"
McNeel Rifles 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2; HR Banker 2; Tennis 2; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4

MARILYN JEAN NIMAN
"Mari"
"Cosmetalogist"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Spanish 3 NHS 4

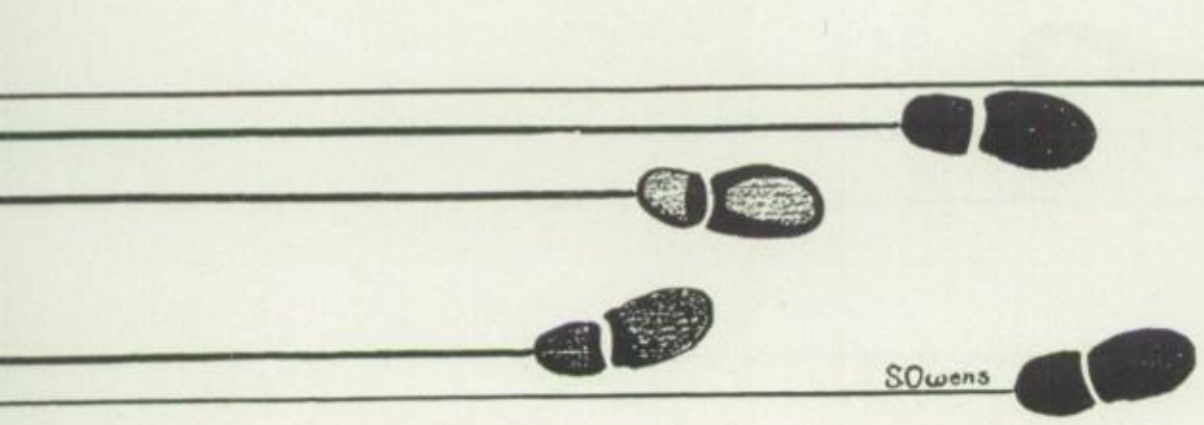
RICHARD DALE NORMAN
"Dick"
"Air Force"

MERLE WAYNE NORTH

MARGARET JOAN OBERBRUNER
"Peggy"
"Nurses' Training"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Beloiter 4; Increscent 4; Latin 2; Future Nurses 4; Creative Writing 4; NHS 4; Choir 3, 4

NANCY ANN O'BRIEN
"Nance"
"Nurses' Training"
Creative Writing 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Beloiter 3, 4; Latin 2; Future Nurses 3, 4; NHS 4; Band 4

RICHARD DALE OLIVER
"Dick"
"Navy"
Photography 2, 3, 4; AV 2, 3, 4; Art 2, 3



CAPTAINS

BARBARA JEAN OLSON
"Jean"
"Nurses' Training"
Band 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 2; Interclub 2; Student Council 4

GALON RICHARD OLSON

MARY ANN OLSON
"Private Secretary"
Commercial 2, 3, 4

WILLIAM ARTHUR OLSON
"Bill"
"College"
FFA 2, 3, 4

MICHAEL WILLIAM O'NEILL
"Mike"
Football 2; B-Club 2, 3, 4

WILLIAM MARTIN OTTUM
Art 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Beloiter 4

SANDRA JO OWENS
"Sandi"
"College"
Football 2, 3; Wrestling 2, 3, 4; Track 2; B-Club 2, 3, 4

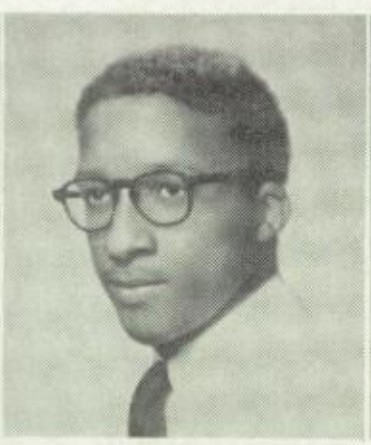
PAUL PETER PADILLA
"Pete"
"Service"
Radio 3; Jr. Theatre 2, 3; French 2; Jr. Red Cross 2, 3, 4; NHS 3, 4; Swing Band 2, 3, 4; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Debate 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Silver Sabers 4

DAVID WAYNE PALMER
"Dave"
"College"
Jr. Theatre 3, 4; GIA 2, 3; Forensics 3; Commercial 2, 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4

RUTH MARIE PARKER
"Ruthie"
"Secretary"

FRANK RICHARD PARSONS
"College"
Hi-Y 4; Golf 2, 3; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; B-Club 2, 3, 4

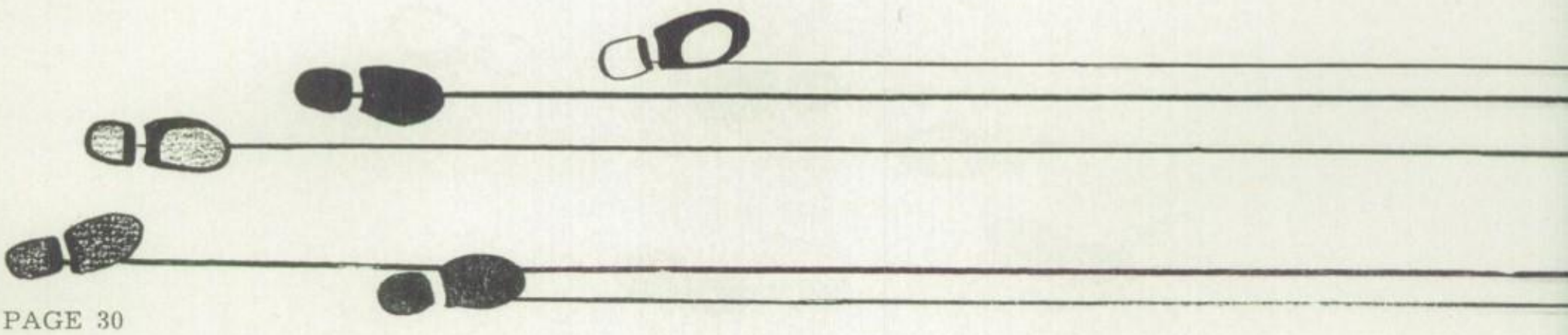
BESSIE LOUISE PAULSON



HALL BRADFORD PAYNE
"H. B."
"Ministry"
Spanish 3; B-Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4

SALLY JO PEER
"Jo"
"Marriage"

ROBERT ALBERT PERKINS
"Bob"
"Author"
Increasent 2, 3, 4; Photography 2, 3, 4; Creative Writing 4; Quill and Scroll 3, 4; NHS 4



CAPTAINS

JERALD LESTER PETERSON
"Pete"
"Machinist"

ROBERT CHARLES PETROF
"Bob"
"College"
Photography 2, 3, 4; Beloiter 2, 3, 4; R.O.T.C. 2; Latin 2; AV 2; NHS 3, 4

MARY ANN PHILLIPS

JOSEPH MICHAEL PICCIONE
"Joe"
"College"
Spanish 2; Student Council 2, 4; Jr. Theatre 2; Cheerleading 4

JOHN LEE PLFF
"Jack"
"Work"

JO MARY POLASKE
"Jo"
"Nurses' T aining"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Class Sec. 4

BARBARA ANN POLETINE
"Travel"

ALICE FRANCES PORTER
"Al"
"College"
Cheerleading 2, 3; Beloiter 4; Incresent 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 3, 4

PATRICIA ANN PROCTOR
"Pat"
"College"
French 2; Bowling 2, 3; Art 4

DARRELL PHILLIP PURDY

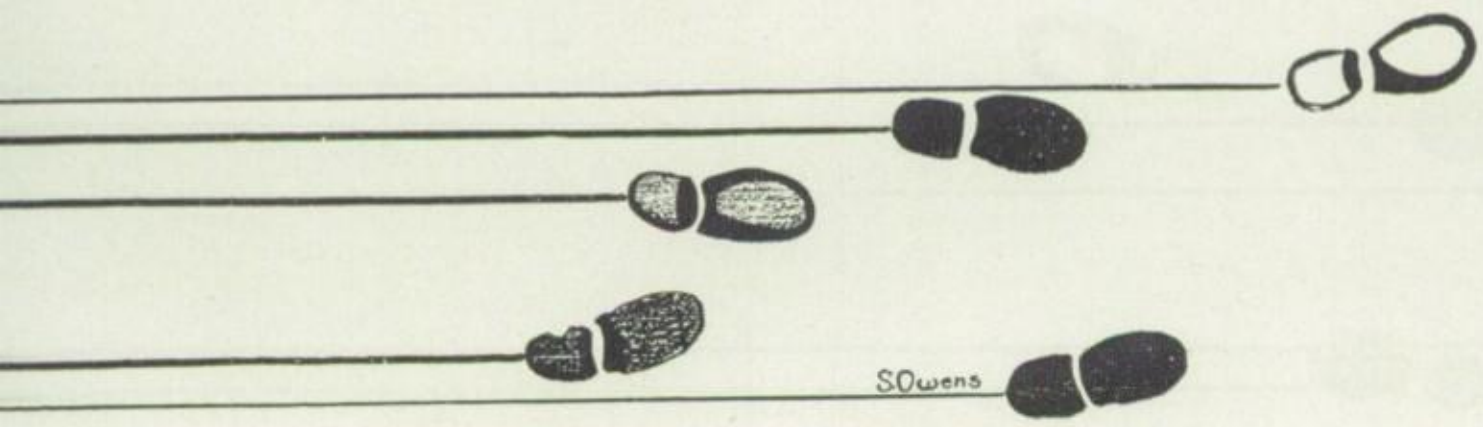
BARBARA ANN QUALIZA
"Barb"
"Musician"

ELIZABETH ANN QUIGLEY
"Liz"
"College"
Art 4; Commercial 2, 3, 4; Home Ec. 2, 3, 4; Incresent 3, 4

TEX MYRON RAMQUIST
"Texas"
"Work"
Hi-Y 4; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4

ROY CHARLES RAMSING
"College"
Photography 2, 3, 4; Beloiter 2, 3, 4; R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; Latin 2; Silver Sabres 4

JANET LEE REEDY
"College"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Bowling 4; GIA 3, 4



CAPTAINS

JOHN ARLAND REIMER
"Jack"
"Engineering"
Basketball 3, 4

JOHN WILLIAM REINHOLZ
"Johnny"
"College"
Hi-Y 4; Stage Crew 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Latin 2; Swing Band 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4

THOMAS WILLIAM RHODES
"Tom"
"College"
Swing Band 4; Hi-Y 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Stage Crew 2, 3; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4

HARRY LUNN RICE
"Lynn"
"College"
Beloiter 4

MARGARET ANN RICHTER
"Maggie"
"College"
Choir 2, 3, 4

CAROL JOSEPHINE ROBISON
"Rob"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Library 2, 3, 4

DONNA DARLENE ROSE
"Rosa"
"Office Work"
Commercial 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2, 3, 4

MARY ELLEN ROY
"Melon"
Commercial 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4

JANICE ELAINE ROYCE
"Jan"
"College"
Home Ec. 2, 3, 4

ALAN ARRIE RUBNITZ
"Rub"
"College"
Latin 2; Golf 2; Student Council 2; NHS 3, 4; Increscent 4; Hi-Y 4

BUDDE DUANE RUFER
"Bud"
"Radio Service Man"

WILLIAM HENRY SARLES
"Bill"

JOHN ALFRED SAUSER
"Jackson"

DAVID BROWN SCHNEIDER
"Dave"
"College"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4; Football 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; NHS 4; French 2

RACHEL ANN SCHOVILLE

CATHERINE DELL
SCHOWALTER
"Cathy"
"Teaching"
Band 2, 3, 4; Librarian 3, 4; Latin 2; Art 3; Creative Writing 4; NHS 3, 4; Stage Crew Art Staff 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Future Teachers 3, 4

LARRY FRED
SCHROEDER
"Whip"
"Grocer"
Student Council 4; Debate 2; Wrestling 4; Golf 3, 4

THOMAS WELKE
SCHUARTZ
"Gus"
"Welder"

GARY JULIAN SCOTT
"Scotty"
"College"
B-Club 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3; Track 2, 3, 4

NANCY ANN
SHANBARKER
"Nancy"
Commercial 2, 3, 4; Increscent 2, 3, 4

GEORGE WILLIAM SHAW
"Duck"
"Machine Drawing"
B-Club 2, 3, 4

GERTRUDE CLARA
SIEKIERSKE
"Gert"
"Nursing"
Future Nurses 4; Latin 2; Jr. Theatre 3; HR Banker 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3

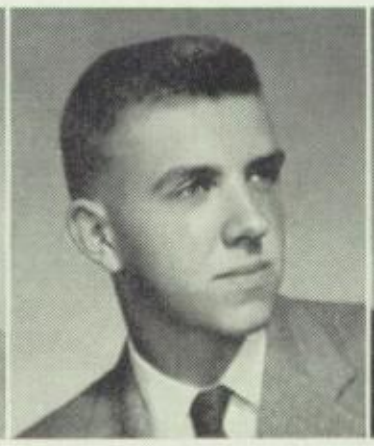
DONNA MAY SIEREN
"Nurses' Training"

ALICE MARLENE
SIGWELL
"Marlene"
"Marriage"
Commercial 2

NEIL ALLEN SIMONS
"Si"
"Navy"

DOROTHY ELAINE
SIMONSON
"Dort"
"Work"
Sewing 2, 3, 4

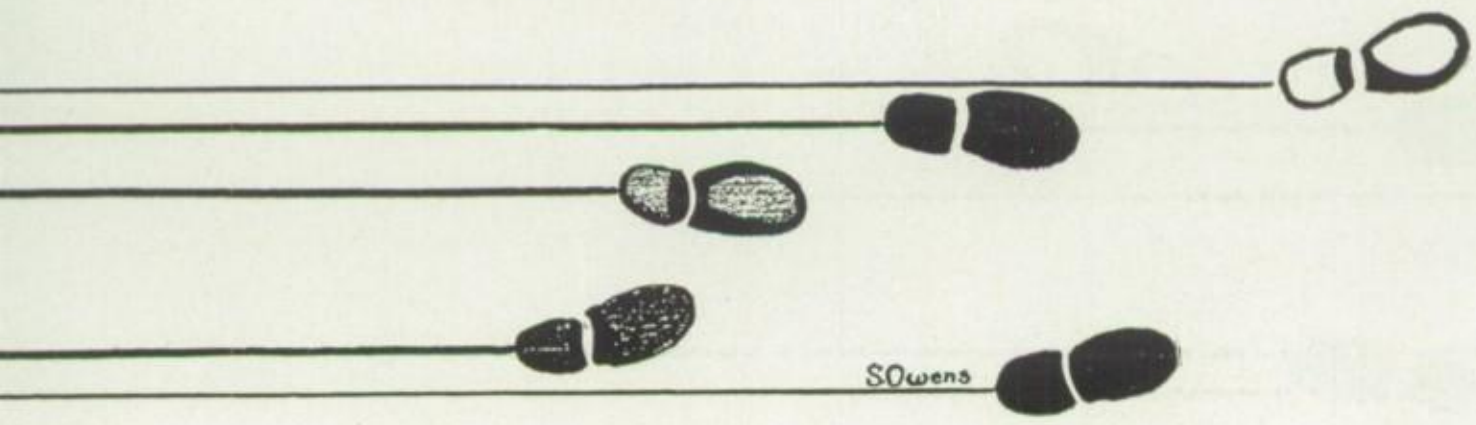
MYRNA ELAINE
SINGLETARY
"Myrn"
"Nursing"



RICHARD ANTON
SMESTAD
"Smitty"
"Television Cameraman"
Hi-Y 4

BARBARA JEANNE
SMITH
"Barb"
"Nursing"
Latin 2; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Increscent Ad. 4; Beloiter Ad 4; Future Nurses 4

DONNA LOUISE SMITH
"Don"
"Marriage"
Y-Teens 2, 3; Jr. Theatre 2, 3; Art 4; GIA 2



CAPTAINS

WANDA AUGUST SMITH
"Smith"
"College"
Y-Teens 2, 3; Student Council 4

GLORIA MAE SPOONER
"Glo"
"College or Marriage"
Cheerleading 3, 4; Commercial 4; Pep Club 4

LINDA LU STADEL
"Lin"
"Nursing"
French 2; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Future Nurses 4; Jr. Theatre 4

CHARLES JOHN STARK
"Stork"
"College"
R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; Choir 3, 4; Band 2

ROGER EARL STEFFENSEN
"Spook"
"Army"
B-Club 2, 3, 4

JANET RUBY STEWART
"Janny"
Twirling 2, 3, 4; Art 4; Commercial 4; Jr. Theatre 2

BARRIE STOFFER
"Butch"
"College"

MARILYN ANN STOIKES
"Maril"
"Nursing"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Latin 2

ROGER LEE TAGGART
"Tag"
Latin 2; Football 2; Student Council 2, 3, 4

NADINE ESTELLE TAYLOR
"Dee"
"College"
NHS 3, 4; GIA 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Future Teachers 4; Band 2, 3, 4

WILLIAM CHIRON TEFFT
"Chi"
"Mining Engineer"
B-Club 4; McNeel Rifle 2, 3; Debate 2; Hi-Y 4; Jr. Theatre 4; R.O.T.C. 2, 3

JEROLD E. THOMPSON
"Jerry"
"Railroading"

PATRICIA ANN THORNTON
"Pat"
Bowling 4; Choir 2, 3, 4

GLENDA LOU TILLOTSON
"Lee"
Jr. Theatre 2; Commercial 4

CAROL JOYCE TINDER
Jr. Theatre 3; Choir 3, 4

CAPTAINS

RICHARD EUGENE TUCK
"Dick"

CAROL LYNN VAN GALDER
"Lindy"
"Journalism"
Jr. Theatre 3, 4

LARRY RAYMOND VINCENT
"Vince"
"Electrical Engineer"

JOHN ANTHONY VONESH
"Marriage"
R.O.T.C. 2, 3, 4; McNeel Rifle 2, 3, 4

JANE LYNN VUCHETICH
"Janie"
"Nursing"
Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Jr. Theatre 2, 3, 4; Latin 2, 3; Office Girl 2; Beloiter 4

NANCY JEAN WALD
"Nance"
"Work"
Art 4; Bowling 2, 3

JAMES DALE WALKER
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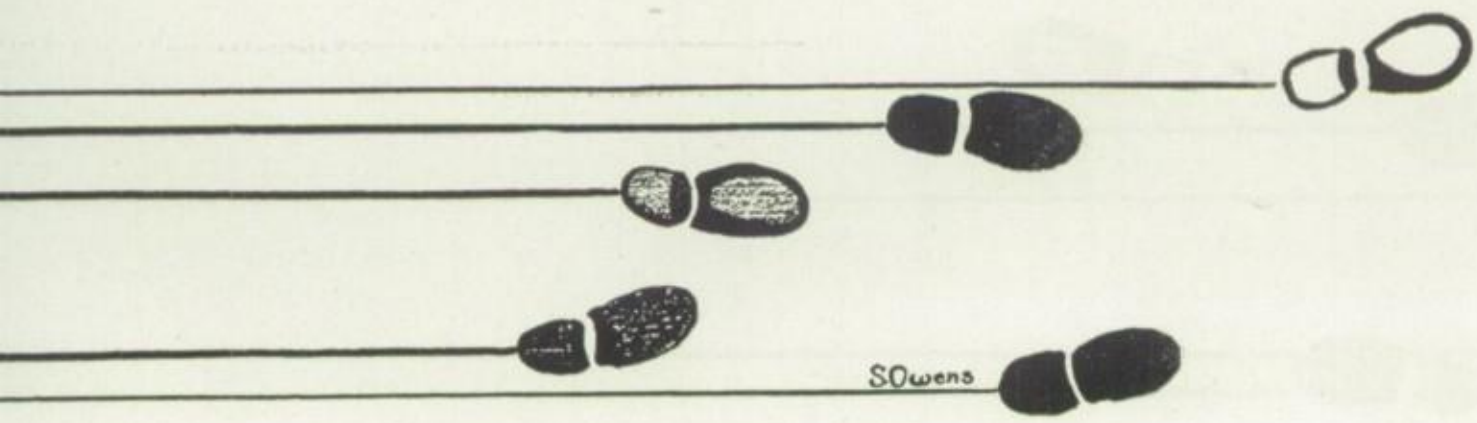

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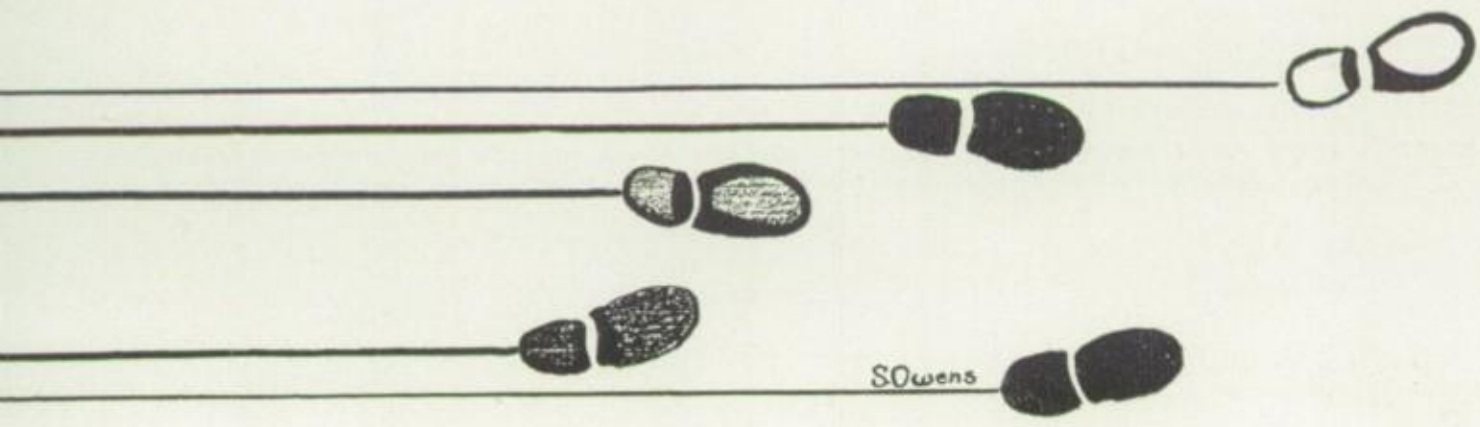


WHO'S WHO—EIGHT TOP SCHOLARS

David Palmer
Third

Chosen college—Beloit College
Elected to National Honor Society as a Junior
Active in—
Jr. Red Cross
Band and Dance Band
Silver Sabers
Debate
Major in R.O.T.C.
Awarded the silver Tribune award as a Junior
A future Physics professor

Barbara Qualiza
Fifth

University of Wisconsin
Elected to National Honor Society as a Senior
Future plans are not definite

Judy Walsh
Fourth

Marquette University
Elected to National Honor Society as a Junior
Co-Editor of Increscent
Active in Future Teachers
A future journalism and history teacher

Jim Walker
Sixth

Rennselaer Polytechnical Institute
Awarded a General Motors Scholarship
Elected to National Honor Society as a Junior
Active in Student Council
Athlete
Sr. Class play
Senior class President
A future archeologist

Ernest Kimmel
Seventh

Harvard or Yale
Elected to National Honor Society as a Junior
Active in debate
Awarded the Silver Sabers award as a Senior
Captain in R.O.T.C.
A future minister

Charles McClure
Eighth

Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Elected to National Honor Society as a Junior
Awarded honorable mention in the 14th Annual Science Research contest
Awarded the Gold Tribune award as a Senior, and also the Reserved officers association award
Captain in R.O.T.C.
Battalion Adjutant
A future electrical engineer

Clarice Johnson
Ninth

Luther Deaconess Hospital
Elected to National Honor Society as a Senior
Named the most outstanding Homemaker
Active in Home Arts Club Debate
A future nurse

Alan Rubnitz
Tenth

University of Wisconsin
Elected to National Honor Society as a Junior
Active in golf
A future lawyer

The Beloiter staff extends their most sincere and hearty congratulations to the two valedictorians and the above mentioned ranking students. We know that you will all find much success and happiness in your lives.

WHO'S WHO—PEOPLE WHO HAVE GIVEN OUTSTANDING SERVICE

JERRY FISHER
Debate
Junior Red Cross
Beloiter

MARY ANN WRIGHT
Beloiter

JACK HILL
Dramatics
Stage Crew

STANLEY BOLEN
Athletics

DOUGLAS KEVER
Dramatics
Art, Music

GERALDINE BROHN
Cafeteria

WINNIFRED GORDON
Art

ROBERT PERKINS
Increscent

GARY SCOTT
Athletics

BARBARA BUNNELL
Dramatics
Art

JUDY JUNIG
Office Girl

ROY RAMSING
Beloiter
Photographer

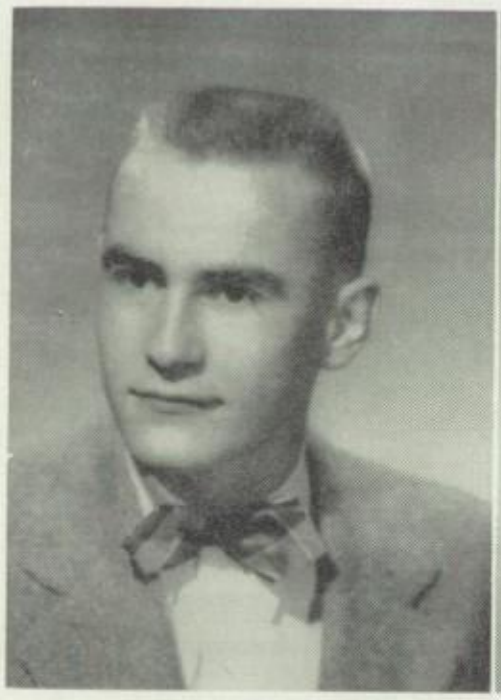
YOUR CHOICE . . .

ROLF MJANNES
Best Dressed Boy
Rolf so tall, imperially slim,
You named the "Best Dressed" him.

GLORIA SPOONER
Best Dressed Girl
Gloria groomed so nice each day,
Took "Best Dressed" girl honors away.

CAROL DARY
Best Girl Dancer
Her new name Miss Twinkletoes,
"Best Dancer" to this girl goes.

BRUCE FOWLER
Best Boy Dancer
Dancing King is handsome Bruce,
"Hold me tight and dance me loose."



JAMES LUETY
Busiest Senior Boy
Busiest boy you chose for Jim,
So full of that ingredient —vim.

MARY WONG
Busiest Senior Girl and Most Likely to Succeed
"Most Likely To Succeed" she won from you,
And captured the busiest title, too.

ROBERT PETROF
Most Likely To Succeed
Because he does so well every job—
"Most Likely To Succeed" will be our Bob.

YOUR CHOICE

JAMES EWING

Most Athletic Boy

Awarded honors by the state—
"Most athletic" he heads the slate

MARLENE FOAT

Most Athletic Girl

More bounce to the ounce is our Marlene
You named her your athletic queen.

JANE VUCHETICH

Senior Girl With Best Sense of Humor

And this is your choice of girl
Who keeps our humor in a whirl.

ROGER STEFFENSEN

Senior Boy With Best Sense of Humor

You named this witty bloke,
As one who tells the funniest joke.

DENA McCAULEY

Best Looking Senior Girl

Our Homecoming queen again we crown,
Best looking girl is her new renown.

DWAYNE BERG

Best Looking Senior Boy and Most Popular Senior Boy

Dwayne is our most popular lad,
Most handsome to his name we add.

JANICE HOLMES

Most Popular Senior Girl

With friendly smile and personality gay,
This girl stole "Most Popular" vote away.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

(Seated) P. Oberbruner and A. Porter. (Standing left to right) B. Fowler, J. Holmes, B. Bunnell, J. Ewing, J. Reinholz, E. Cushman.

The time—8:15 P.M., May 19 and 20, 1955. The place—Memorial Theatre. The assignment—Senior Class Play—"Time Out for Ginger."

The suspects used the following aliases: Alice Porter—"Ginger," Peggy Oberbruner —"Agnes Carol," Jack Hill—"Howard Carol," Estella Cushman—"Liz," Shirley Hanson —"Jeannie Carol," Janice Holmes—"Joan Carol," John Reinholz—"Ed Hoffman," Jim Ewing—"Eddie," Henry Kaster—"Tommy Green," Jim Walker—"Mr. Wilson," Barbara Bunnell and Dwayne Berg—"Understudies," and Bruce Fowler—"Student Director." Other senior contacts were: Bruce Fowler—Stage Manager, Barbara Bunnell—Decor, Cathy Schowalter—Special Effects, and Mary Jo Ahrens—Props.

At 10:15 P.M. the "Boss" appeared back stage and said "assignment well done . . ." The "Boss" was later discovered to be Elizabeth Reinholz. DUM-DE-DUM-DUM.

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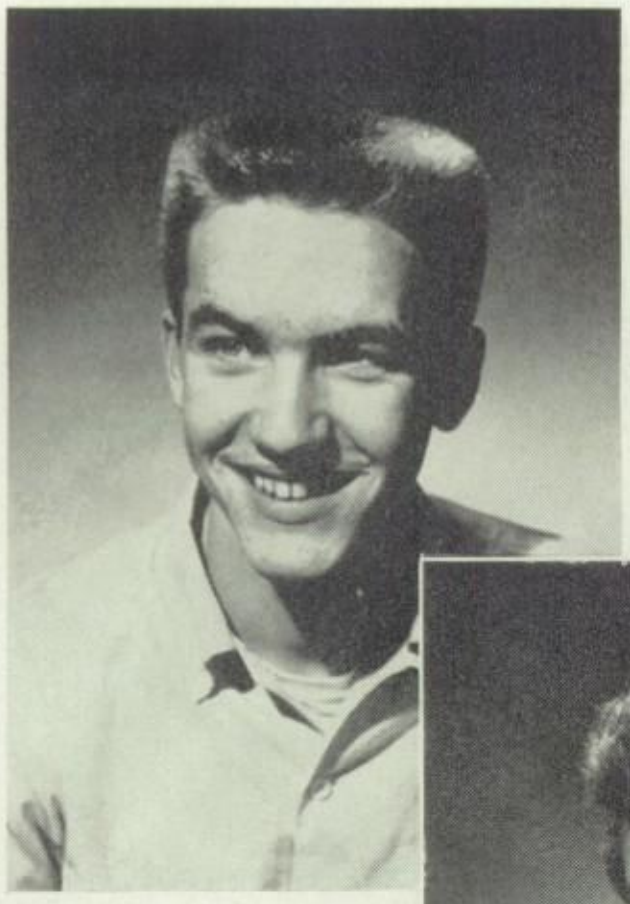

PAUL LANCASTER,
President

ROBERT AMMAN,
Vice President

JUDY BERGER,
Secretary

Yes, it seems hard to believe that now, as Juniors, we have but one year left of dear Beloit High. Among many of the fond memories that we have of our high school days will be those of our Junior year.

Our homecoming this year was a wet one but I'm sure you'll all agree that our homecoming court attendants, Mary Alice Winger and Susan Brownell, looked just as pretty.

Our first big event of the year was the electing of class officers. The class all agreed that the following would do the job and do it well. They elected Paul Lancaster as President, Robert Amman as Vice President, and Judith Berger as Secretary-Treasurer.

In November, the class officers along with several members of the Junior class and Mr. Paul Nee as faculty advisor, selected three rings. These rings were then put before the whole Junior class for election.

Taking Junior class pictures, producing the Junior Stage Show and dancing at the Junior-Senior Prom to the theme of "Ebb Tide" with Paul Lancaster as our Junior King and Rondi Malsch as his Queen and their court which consisted of Terrell Nitzche and Mimi Winger, James Adams and Sandra Siepert, were some of the highlights of our Junior year that will never be forgotten.

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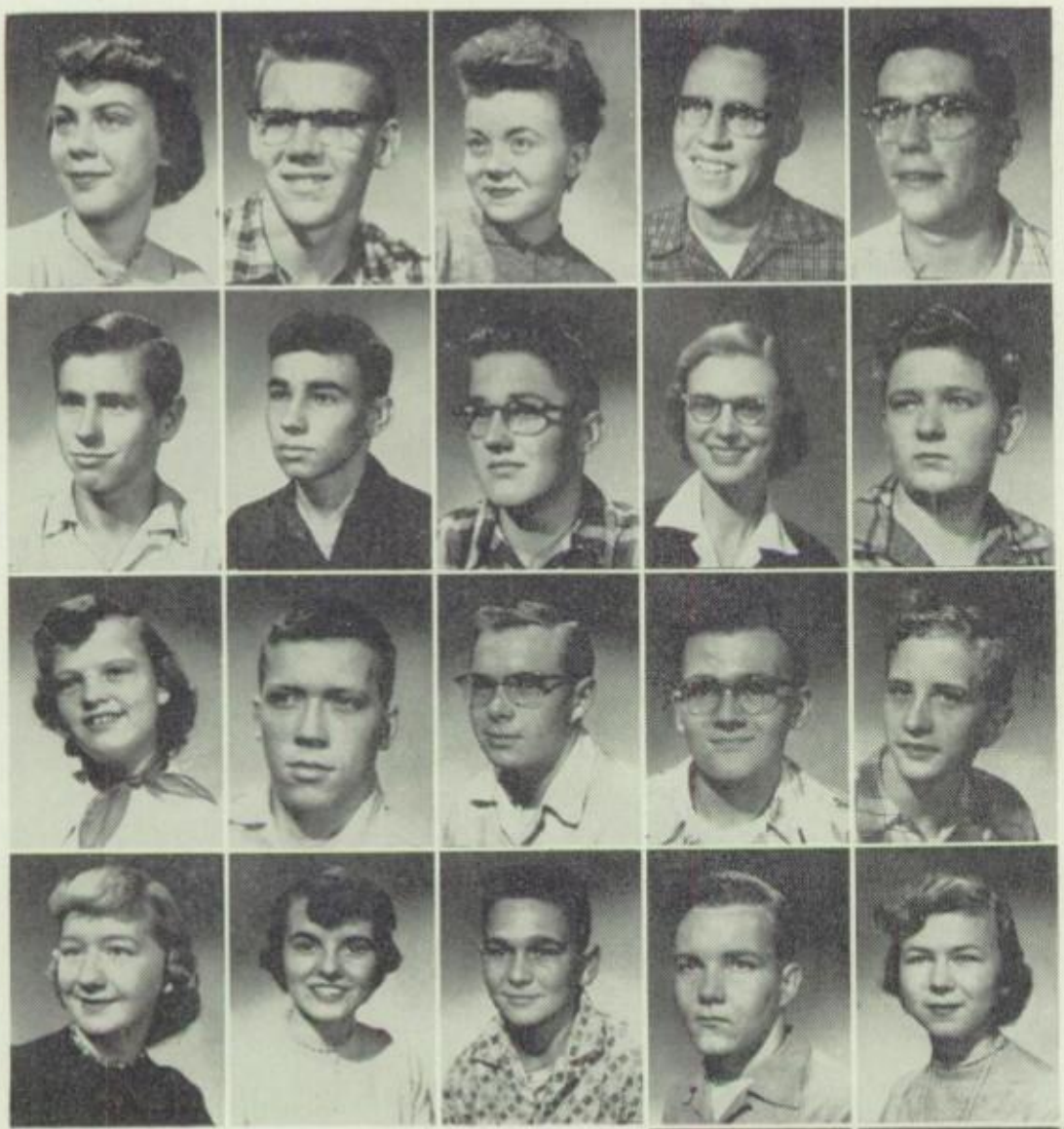

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Lucille Adwell
James Allen
Robert Amman

John Amundrud
Nick Anastasi
David Anderson
Elsa Andreson
Clarence Arbuthnot

Judith Babcock
Milton Babcock
Norman Bailey
Thomas Barber
Ronald Bartram

Barbara Bartz
Barbara Bass
Wayne Bauman
Richard Beck
Shirley Beckus

Thomas Beilke
George Bell
Robert Bellard
Patricia Bellin
Judith Berger

James Blair
Donald Bogenrief
Laura Bond
Gustav Bonier
Ronald Borgwardt

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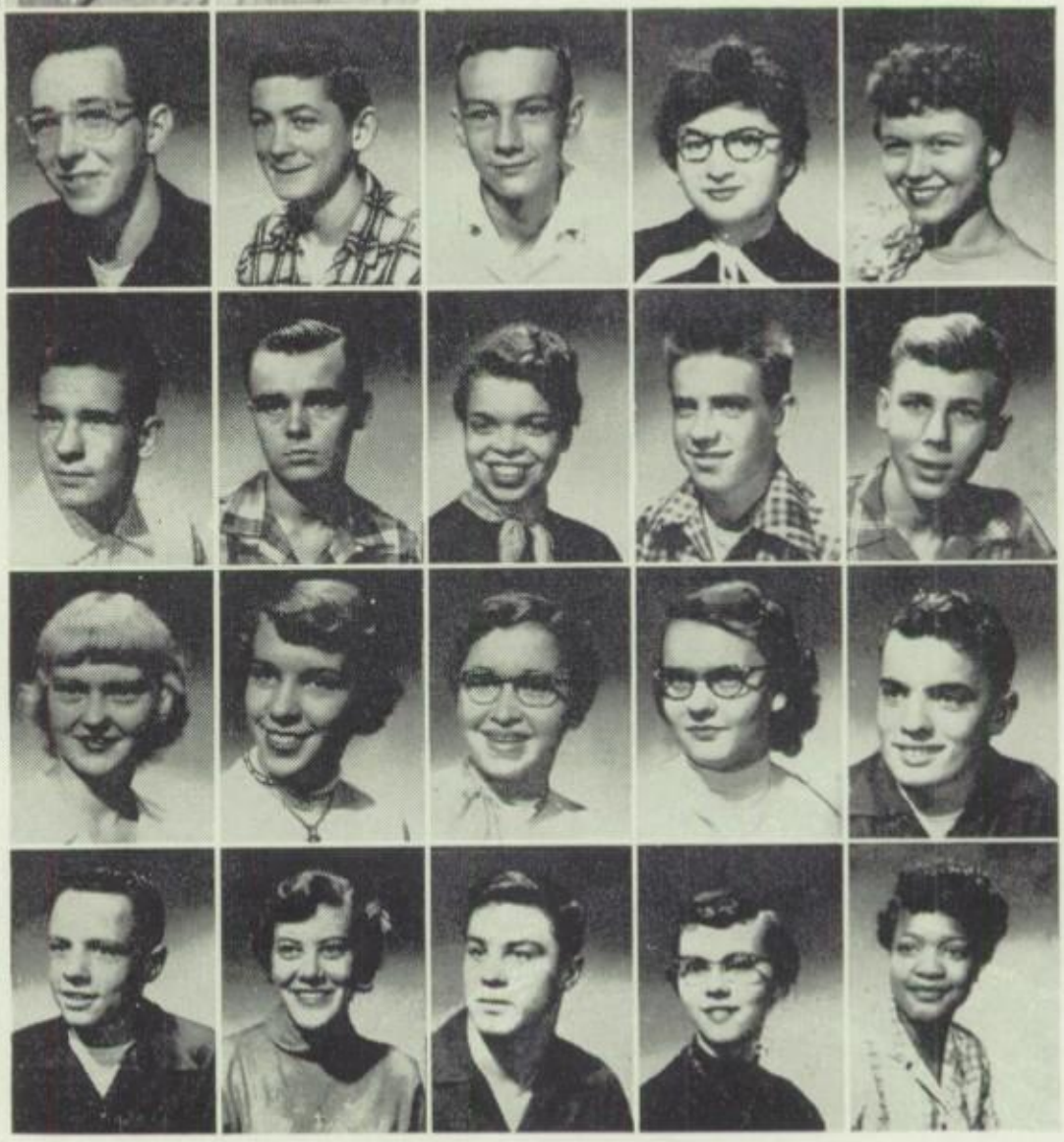
Gloria Brocker
Paul Brom
Rosemary Brosier
Lillie Bell Brown



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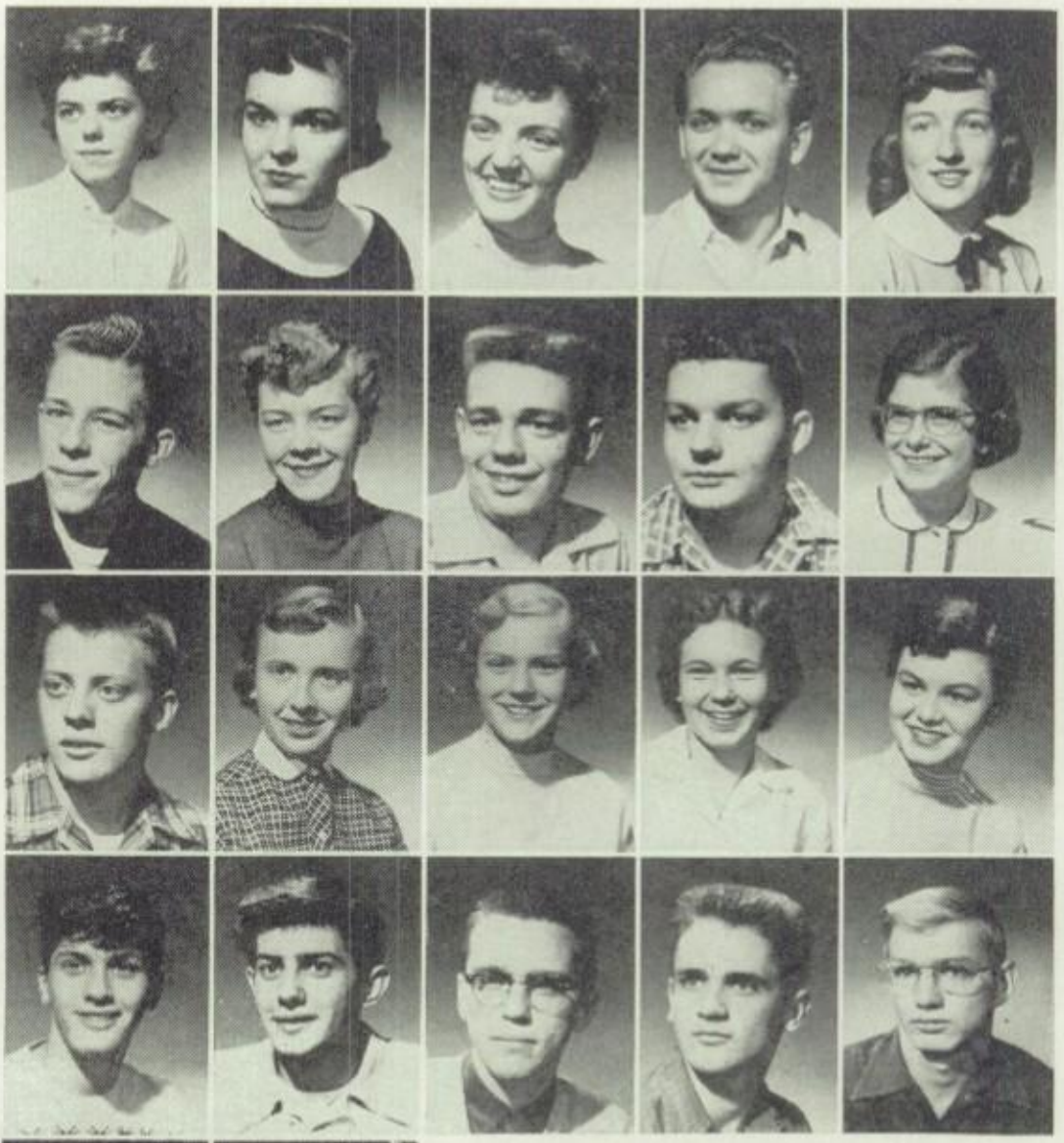

Marilyn Brown
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Edward Burn
Sandra Burnham

Dennis Busch
Dianne Busch
Lloyd Busse
Thomas Calkins
Bonnie Campbell

Wilhelm Carlson
Janet Carpenter
Tannisse Carroll
Myrna Chamberlin
Donna Rae Chayer

Sam Chekos
Ted Chekos
Curtis Cherry
Kenneth Cherry
Richard Christopherson

Kathryn Clark
Darlene Clarke
Ronald Clayton
Helen Cobb
Constance Cohoon

Shirley Cohoon
Donald Cole
Mary Collins
Deanna Connors
Robert Conway

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David Darling
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Mary Sue Davis
William Day

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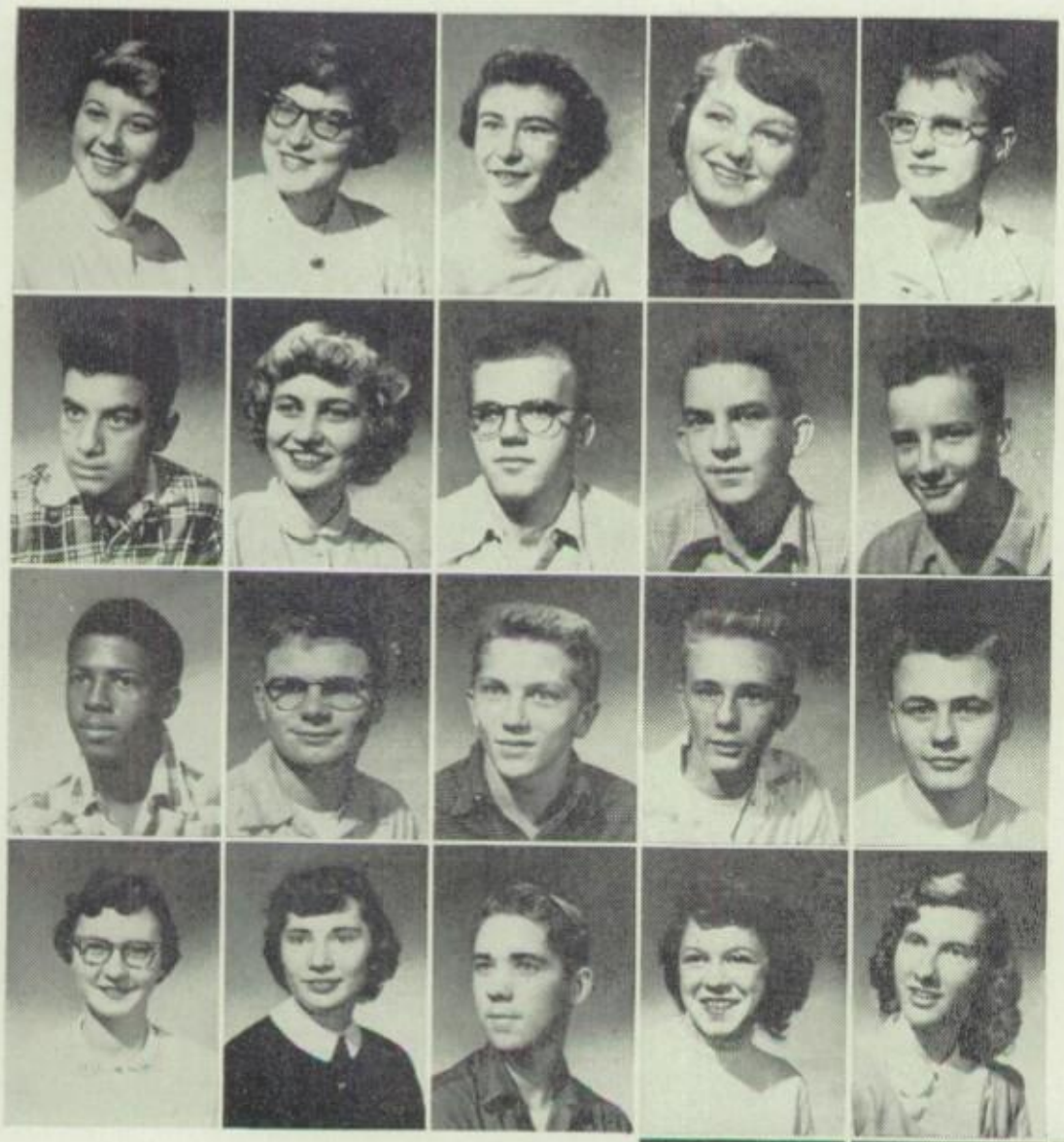

Lois DeGraff
Patricia Dehart
Betty Deibner
Janice Depold
Nancy Derhammer

James Desarbo
Rose Dickerson
Fred Disch
Allen Dix
Jack Dolphin

Frank Donaldson
John Donaldson
Eldyn Dorst
Jerome Dotter
Kenneth Drawz

Yvonne Dressler
Carol Druetzler
Wayne Dwyer
Mary Eberts
Phyllis Elithorpe

Arthur Elliott
Aletta Emerson
Karen Emilson
David Ensley
Robert Evans

Mary Lou Eysnogle
Sally Finnegan
Roger Fleener
Beverly Foos
Marlene Fowler

Doris Francis
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John Gavney
Wesley George
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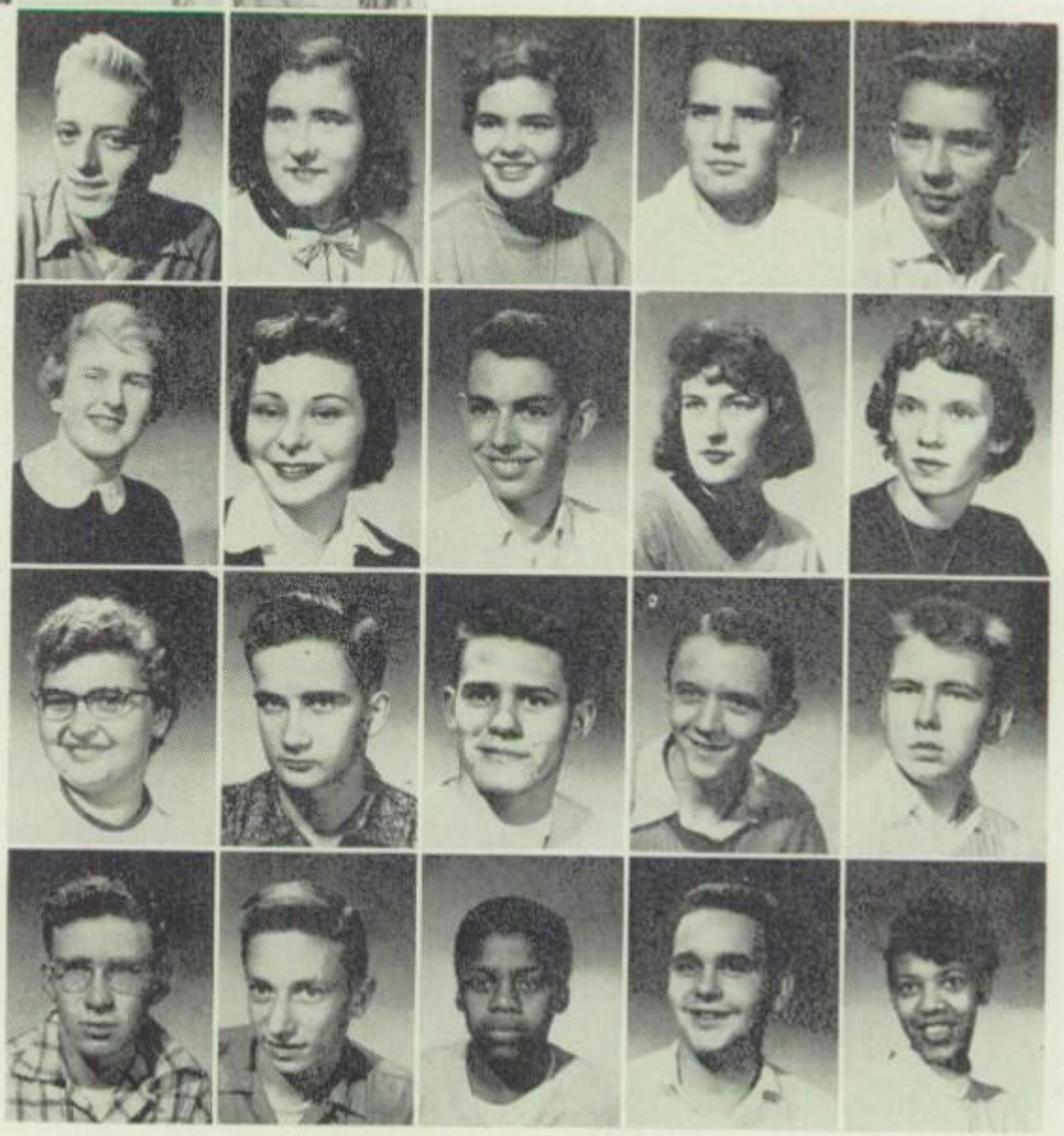
Francis Gilbert
Laurence Gilbertson
Gerald Gordon
Donald Grade
Eleanor Grady



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Jack Grafton
Patricia Granger
Patricia Griinke
Sterling Gunz
Frank Gupton

Joan Haase
Sandra Haegele
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Leland Halverson
Mary Halverson

Carl Hamilton
David Handt
Peter Hanewall
Alice Hanson
Donald Hardyman

Shirley Harmon
George Harrell
Edward Harrington
Yvonne Hartley
Darlene Hartman

Richard Hauger
Marilyn Hebb
Gloria Heffel
Richard Hefty
Kathryn Heinze

Gail Hendrickson
Robert Hendrickson
Russell Henry
Mary Hill
William Hills

Treasure Hirst
Janice Hoffer
Mary Hollibush
Donald Hollis
James Holloway

George Hooker
Barbara Hornby
David House
Shirley Howard
Richard Howson

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Kenneth Hubbard
Keith Hudson
Richard Hudson
Marlene Huggins
Barbara Jean Hughes

Russell Humphreys
James Isferding
Christine Jacobson
Hiede Jatho
Yvonne Jensen

Shirley Jensen
Fred Jero
Geraldine Jero
Beatrice Johnson
Peter Johnson

Sonja Johnson
Vern Johnson
Barbara Jones
Caroline Jones
Duane Jones

Vern Jones
Thomas Kallen
Phyllis Kamlager
Deanna Kant
Katherine Katsaras

Janet Kelsey
Gerald Kennedy
Arlene Kesler
Steven Kever
David Kilman

James King
Jeanette King
Judith Kinsey
Karen Kirkpatrick
Richard Kitelinger

Robert Kitto
Thomas Kitzrow
Judith Kliver
Carol Knutson
Carol Kobs

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Glenda Kohl
Larry Kopp
Ann Kramer
Richard Kuhlemeier
Donna LaGrange

William Laird
Darlene Lamb
Paul Lancaster
Edith Lang
Victor Lantz

Jacqueline Lierman
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Georgia Lomax

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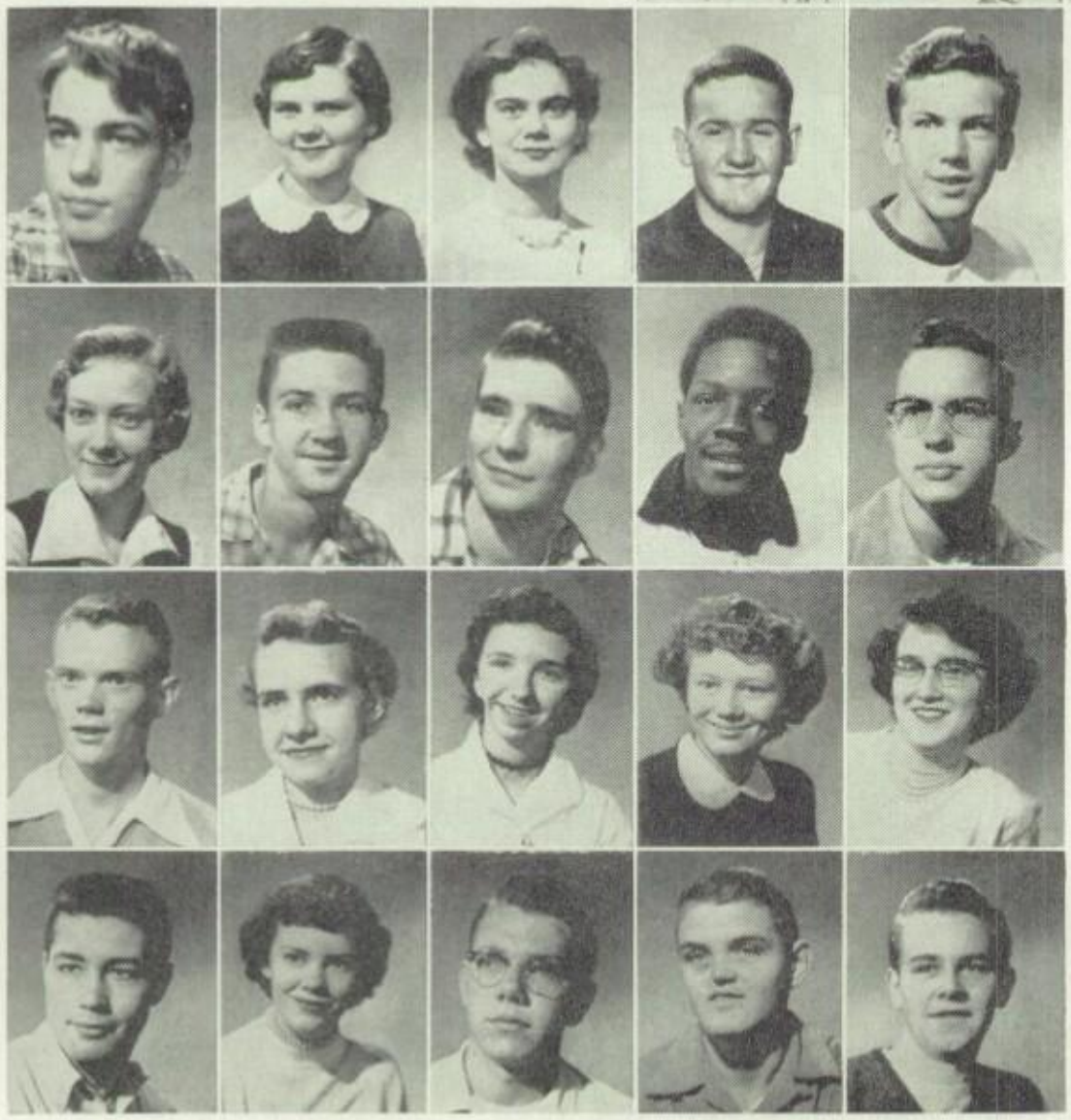

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Patrick McMahon
Larry McMillen

Rondi Malsch
Richard Markley
Jack Marsden
James Martin
John Massen

Gerald Mathews
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Kathryn Meadows
Martha Mendel

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Jerry Miller
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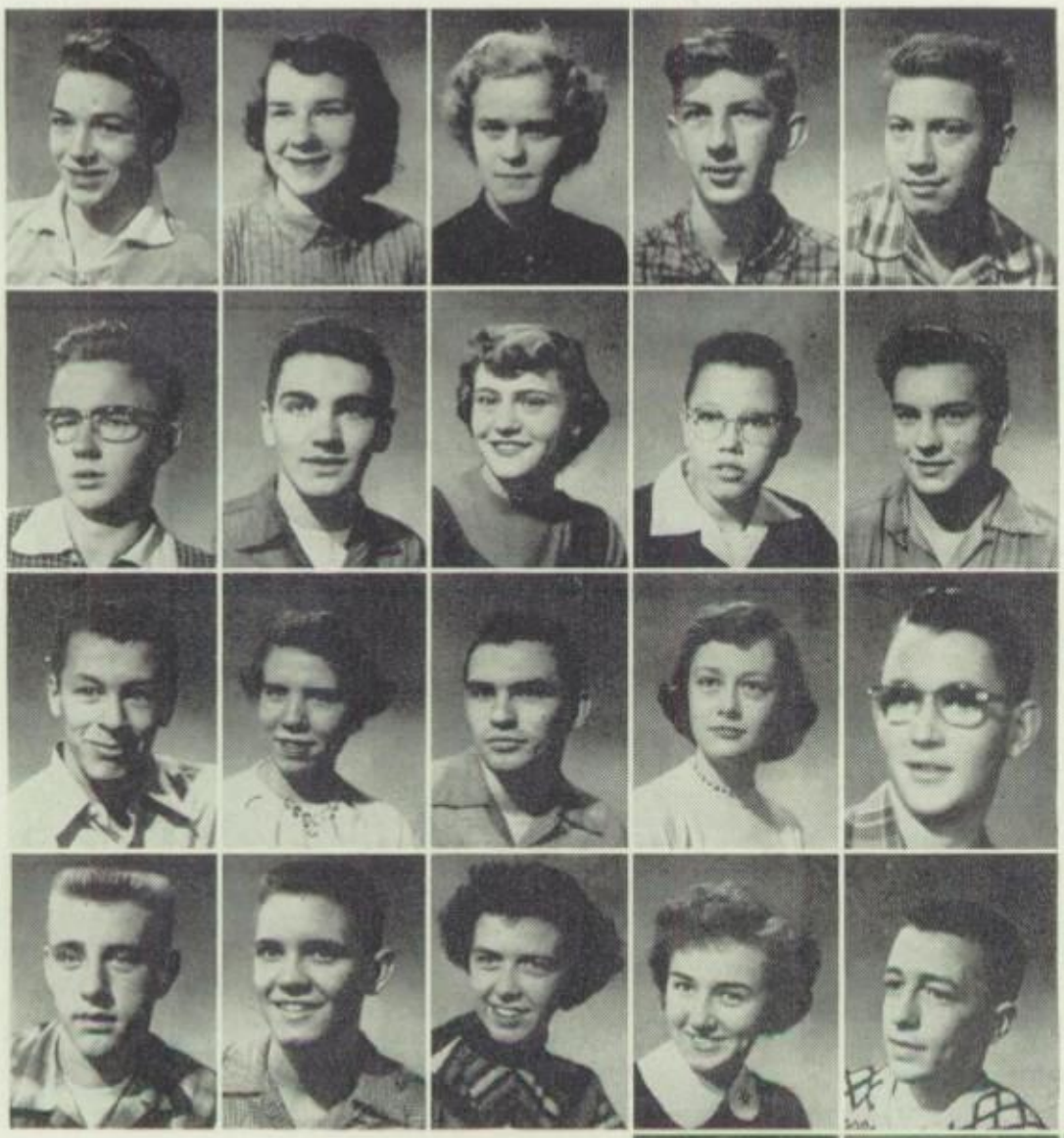

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Thomas Mogilicki

Ariel Molldrem
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Donna Mortag
Donovan Murphy
James Murray

Richard Najdowski
Barbara Nehls
John Nelson
Karen Nelson
Roger Nelson

Terrell Nitzche
Victor Norman
Donna North
Caren Darla Noto
Dugald O'Donnell

Georgina O'Donnell
Patricia Oldenburg
Delmer Ottesen
Joseph Padilla
Nita Rae Parker

Robert Parmer
James Patch
Laveda Pate
Alan Patterson
Patricia Patterson

Donald Penewell
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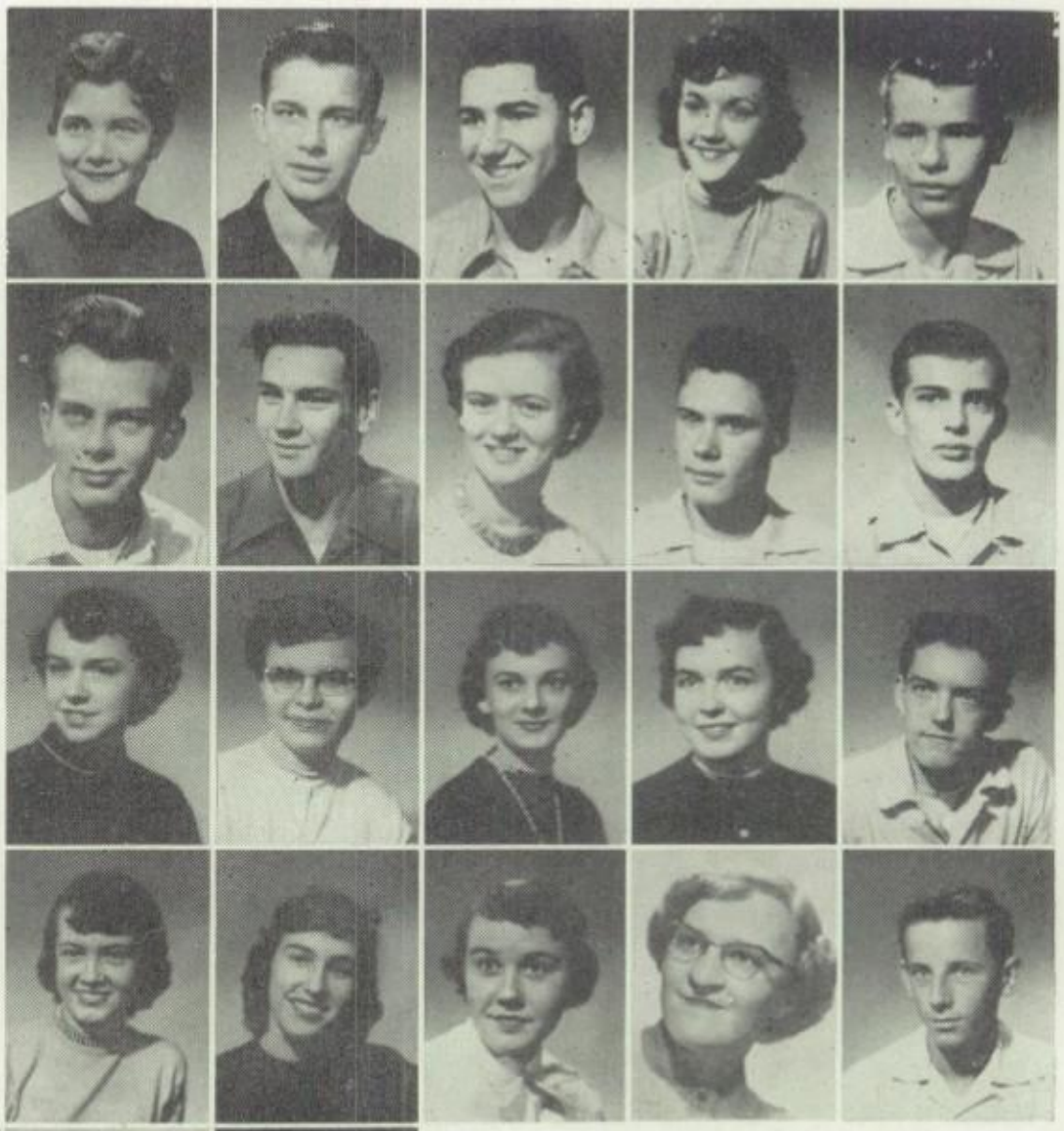

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Betty Reedy
Gwendolyn Reedy
Kay Ridihalgh
Penny Robinson
Jack Rogers

Joanne Rorabough
Peggy Rose
Janet Rosseman
Marjorie Ruegger
Donald Rufer

Vivian Russell
Howard Sailing
Marilyn Sailing
James Sanders
Robert Saunders

Ruth Saunders
Donna Saxton
Evelyn Schafman
Cedric Schiffler
Ronald Schindler

William Schliem
Ronald Schmidt
Judith Schnaitter
Watson Schoonover
Marion Schoville

Kathleen Schuenke
Patricia Schulz
Geraldine Scodwell
Nancy Scollard
Charles Seifert

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David Short
Gail Short
Janice Siebel
Sandra Siepert
David Sorensen

James Sors
Shirley Spangler
Sylvia Spielmacher
Berton Stafford
Charles Stanley

Shirley Steele
U. S. Steele
Lee Steffen
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Phillip Stewart
Dale Stickler
Judith Storlie
Carol Stout
Richard Strand

Barbara Streeter
Walter Strong
Janet Studt
Leroy Stuhr
Wayne Stuhr

Robert Swain
Jervis Swannack
Carol Swanson
Carola Swanson
Judith Swanson

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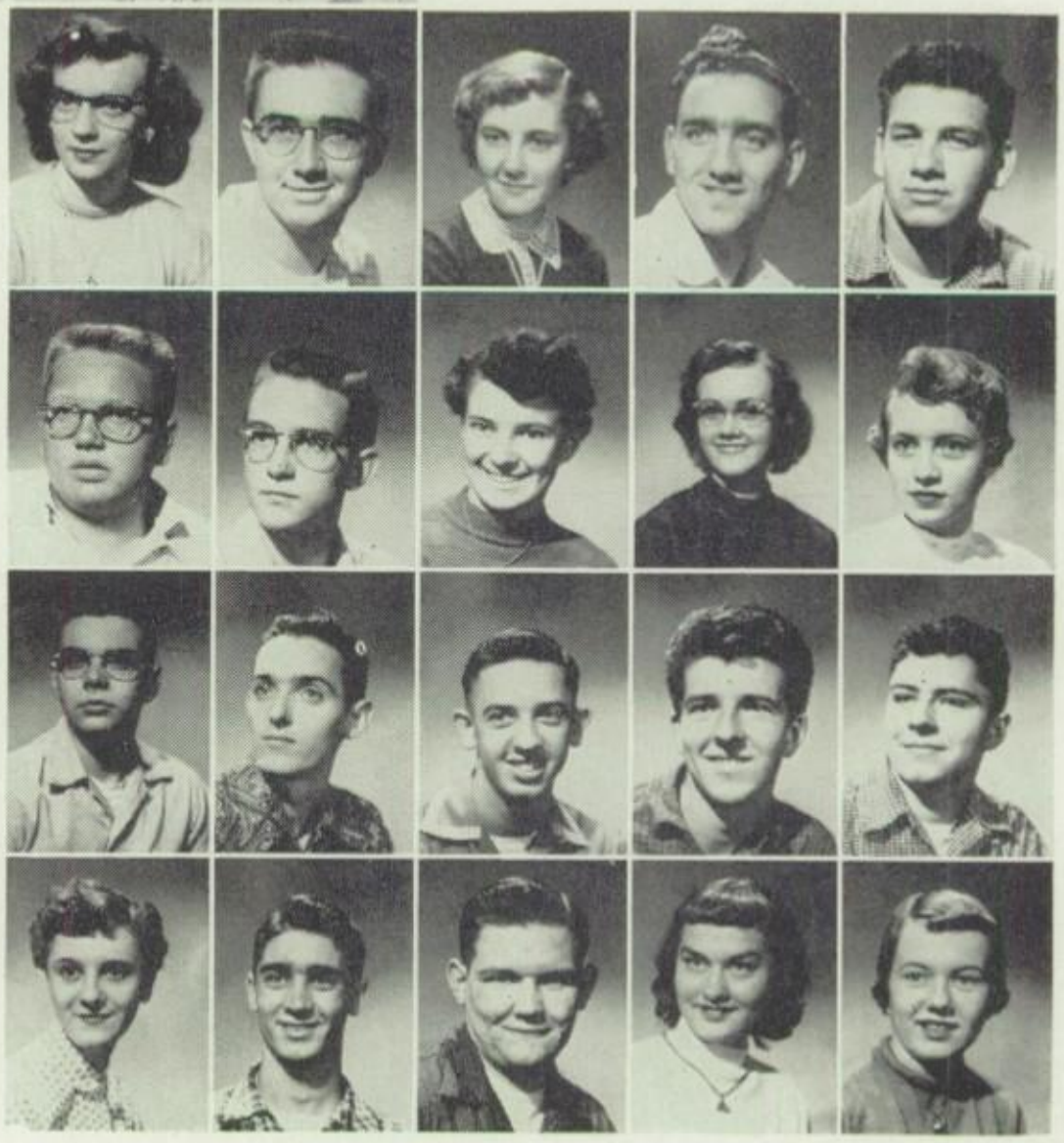

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Gerald Upward
Donna Usher

Lois Van Epps
Donna Van Horn
Gilbert Van Nieuland
Shirley Vinton
Donald Wagner

Cary Wales
Judy Walker
Ronald Wallace
Lorretta Walmsley
Gerald Ward

Kenneth Ware
Dale Watson
Jean Wedige
Carol Weeden
Patricia Weeks

James Messer
Roland Whipple
David Wilberg
Frank Willever
Adolphus Williams

Barbara Ann Williams
Barbara D. Williams
Gary Williams
Janice Wilson
Mary Alice Winger

Ronald Winters
Marron Wafford
Larry Wright
David Yeager
Wee Ting Yee

Roland Zahn
Daryl Zickert
Jacqueline Zillman
Merlyn Tamblingson

Mrs. Smith's Junior English classes worked on slang.

JUNIOR SENIOR PROM

APRIL 23 1955

The Junior-Senior Prom proved to be one of the most enjoyable formals of the school year.

The theme was "Ebb-Tide" which was carried out very effectively. Fishnets of bright colors decorated with sea horses and star fish made up the false ceiling. The 10′ replica of a light house brought many "ohs" and "ahs." Behind the coronation platform there was erected a large yellow starfish.

The music was provided by "Al" Raymond and his orchestra from Rockford, Illinois.

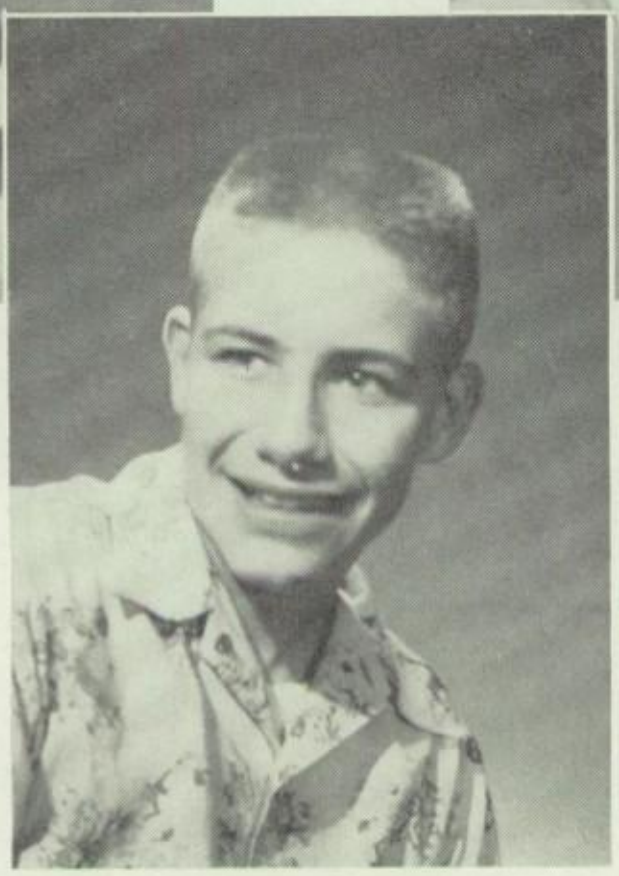
The highlight of the evening was the coronation of the Kings and Queens and the traditional Grand March. The Senior King was Jack Freeman. He chose Jo Polaski to be his Queen. Miss Polaski wore a white princess style floor length formal accented with her corsage of red roses. Members of the Senior court were Dave Schneider who escorted Mary Ann Wright, and Dwayne Berg whose date was Karen Nelson. Miss Wright wore a lavender ballerina formal with pink accessories. She carried a colonial bouquet of pink roses and violets. Miss Nelson was gowned in a pink formal with an overskirt of black lace. Her flowers were pink roses and white carnations made into a colonial bouquet.

The Junior King was Paul Lancaster and his Queen was Rondi Malsh. Miss Malsh's formal was white organdy with yellow daisies scattered over the skirt finished off with a wide yellow sash. She wore a corsage of white carnations and yellow daisies. The Junior Court consisted of Terrell Nitzsche whose date was Mary Alice Winger. Miss Winger wore a pink ballerina length formal with pink accessories. Her corsage was of white roses. James Adams who escorted Sandra Siepert completed the Junior Court. Miss Siepert chose to wear a pink formal with tier upon tier of ruffles. She wore a wrist corsage of white carnations for her flowers. Pink accessories completed her attire.

The evening was one that will always be in the memories of those who attended the Junior-Senior Prom of 1955.

Grace Macklem

Lois Acherman



Wally Gobel

Having completed our first year at Beloit Memorial High School, the Class of 1957 finds that it is looking forward to an exciting and interesting summer vacation, but it will not forget the first few days of school this year. We remember the wonderment when we opened the doors of this school to begin a new and exciting adventure. We remember the upperclassmen with their seemingly aloofness, but after a few weeks no one could tell the sophomores from the seniors.

One of the first things accomplished by the sophomores this year was the election of officers. "Wally" Gobel was elected president; Grace Macklem was chosen vice-president; and Lois Acherman was elected secretary-treasurer. The officers served the entire year.

The Class of '57 will never forget their first homecoming with Judy Archambault and Theo Vitakis representing them. We are duly proud of our class athletes who participated in the sports events of the year, helping our school to win the victories that it did.

The sophomores formed the "Roarin' '57" at the beginning of the year to promote school spirit. The club was exclusively sophomores.

Now with the school year nearing an end we find ourselves a little sad, but with open minds and hearts we are looking forward to next year when we'll be JUNIORS, and "Upperclassmen". We hope that next year will prove to be as interesting and rewarding as this one has been. Let's remember, high school is literally a once in a lifetime event!

ROOKIES

A-34

ROW 1—N. Cox, N. Churchill, B. Ott, C. Pearson, B. Carlson, C. Perkins, J. Coleman, B. Creedy. ROW 2—J. Bulin, D. Caldwell, F. Coryell, T. Padilla, J. Wilson. ROW 3—D. Burns, T. Collins, D. Buroker, L. Patterson.

B-151

ROW 1—D. Hickman, D. Kindschi, M. Fields, M. Fox, C. Timm, M. Wagner, N. Kind, E. Khalar, S. Klinger, R. Hendricks. ROW 2—B. Steininger, J. Kriel, S. Kruel, J. Krueger, D. Walsh, B. Springer, P. Fisher. ROW 3—K. Van Galder, E. Henry, H. Wendtland, F. Ford, J. Thorpe, M. Koons. ROW 4 H. Hogan, J. Fairchild, K. Hein, L. Everson, R. Hilmer, G. Kuxmann.

B-159

ROW 1—S. Steinmetz, J. Rosenow, S. Hanaman, P. Hendrickson, B. Mead, J. Weston, P. Miller, P. Rounds, J. Givhan. ROW 2—M. Buckeridge, E. Harrell, C. Harvey, J. Chamberlin, M. Marty, V. Buskirk, R. Zander. ROW 3—R. Everill, L. Bell, A. Hannaford, J. Gilmen, A. Stenli, C. Smith. ROW 4—R. Maryott, D. Olson, R. Oberbruner, D. Stadler, R. Storley.

B-227

ROW 1—E. Lee, P. Hognson, J. Galauner, N. Waring, E. Johnson, J. Tefft, R. Fuller, K. Hagstrom, B. Smith, T. Lee. ROW 2—J. Sheahan, N. Johnson, E. Zirwes, M. Frey, N. Jensen, M. Harnish, B. Schultz, D. Hamil. ROW 3—W. Shear, J. Harrell, R. Owens, R. Hanson, N. Laage, D. Thayer, P. Smith. ROW 4—E. Freeman, K. Fulton, H. Stockwell, C. Heath.

ROOKIES

B-232

ROW 1—E. Foster, B. Taylor, C. Greenwood, J. Luce, M. Liptow, S. Uehling, L. Ihle. ROW 2—J. McNutt, C. Lewis, D. Streeter, M. Griffis, J. Guenther, F. Green, S. Walmer. ROW 3—D. Haas, D. Lee, S. Timm, J. Johns, J. McGrath, J. Lomax, P. Johnson. ROW 4—T. McCarthy, G. Johnson, T. Lee, D. Wolfrom, L. Wilson, G. Wilson.

B-233

ROW 1—I. Clark, N. Petitt, J. Donaldson, M. Day, L. Crawford, K. Edgecomb, V. Sherwood, D. Dunn, M. Wilson, B. Callan. ROW 2—E. Price, P. Petroff, J. Fisher, J. Erickson, S. Ellingson, J. Shannon, D. Berto, J. Peterson. ROW 3—C. Williams, R. Procter, D. Purcell, J. Conradson, W. Phetteplace, D. Schober. ROW 4—R. Raddatz, B. Orth, B. Colby, E. Rau, B. Clossey, A. DeGraaf, W. Piasecke.

B-302

ROW 1—M. Marchall, C. Hinderliter, L. Acherman, M. Hamm, P. Holmes, H. Golden, L. Watson, S. Hyde. ROW 2—M. Meyer, C. McKay, N. Martin, J. Hermsmeier, T. Vitakis, D. Honor, S. Hile, M. Thorpe, G. Ahrens. ROW 3—J. Hofer, M. Marsden, B. Unsworth, J. Holmes, R. Holliday. ROW 4—D. McCauley, H. Mahan, T. Haines, A. Hirsig.

B-304

ROW 1—N Everson, S. Gardner, C. Bellard, J. Payne, S. Siepert, B. Bendickson, J. Rampenthal, K. Sorenson. ROW 2—J. Young, B. Garrigan, R. Parrinello, J. Zarnstorff, D. Pagelow, P. Rasmussen, L. Raymer. ROW 3—L. Dygart, D. Willard, E. Saunders, J. Payne, J. Hagstrom, D. Batterman, R. Dunn, D. Rindfleisch. ROW 4—R. Birgin, B. Stegall, S. Garrett, P. Fairbert, J. Saunders, R. Beachler, G. Everson, K. Edmonds.

ROOKIES

B-310

ROW 1—R. Cameron, M. Johnson, B. McCraley, K. Webster, L. Bartram, A. Alf, D. Corbit, C. Davis, K. Anderson. ROW 2—M. Nitz, D. Martin, G. Johnson, K. Baker, A. Borgogni, C. Barnett, K. Moseman, P. Nemetz. ROW 3—B. Baptist, J. Nehls, R. Armstrong, D. Myhrvold, R. Miller, N. Ahrens, A. Alf, G. Badertscher.

B-320

ROW 1—D. Lawver, D. Copus, D. Larson, D. Larsen, K. Kernland, D. Keister, M. Grauel, H. Walker. ROW 2—M. Stitt, B. Gleasman, J. Stewart, J. Langklotz, M. Langhus, L. Kuehl, N. Wilson, N. Kaiser. ROW 3—D. Getman, C. Lamb, L. Lancaster, W. Gobel, R. King, T. Kerwin. ROW 4—K. Gordon, L. Hoskins, L. Williams, K. West, P. Shaw.

B-323

ROW 1—R. Beaudin, P. Reimer, B. Bunting, C. Brosier, G. Ridihalgh, A. Brown, P. Brandenburg, R. Oster. ROW 2—J. Rowe, Y. Wright, J. Borkenhagen, M. Willett, J. Roland, K. Rose, R. Klein. ROW 3—B. Nytes, S. Moore, D. Ward, M. Chamberlain, K. Newhausen, H. Olson. ROW 4—D. Wintlend, K. Schoville, P. Richardson, J. Ocker, R. Beadle.

C-21

ROW 1—K. Olson, C. Stout, M. Hiser, R. Hoerl, L. Stout, H. Malleris, B. Zartman, J. Herbst, J. Rosenow, G. Macklem, R. Grover, D. Conway. ROW 2—F. Porter, A. McGinnis, P. Samson, M. Hermann, C. Ryer, D. Cole, L. Christiansen, J. Webermeier. ROW 3—D. O'Grady, G. Thrasher, J. Lichtfuss, J. Marshe, R. Granberg. ROW 4—H. Manvoe, E. Gowman, P. Church, B. Swanson, D. Mackey, R. Christensen, E. Greve.

ROOKIES

C-26

ROW 1—J. Schomber, S. Zartman, M. Hurley, J. Jensen, H. Duncan, J. Ingham, B. Loft, J. Schwartz, L. Visgar. ROW 2—R. Draves, E. Little, B. Ruck, J. Dobson, S. Lightfoot, G. Warren, B. Seward. ROW 3—R. Haase, J. Puhl, J. Taylor, R. Saunders, R. Horan. ROW 4—T. Lehman, D. Hagen, E. Gunz, J. Sweet, R. Cox, W. Utterstedt.

C-217

ROW 1—J. Black, K. Hamilton, P. Nelson, N. Wheeler, D. Bramble, R. Goldsmith, M. Morgan, J. Hammel, E. Copus. ROW 2—R. Brown, V. Richardson, S. Zahn, B. Brown, J. Bare, E. Redmond, S. Mountain, J. Nichols. ROW 3—W. Fuller, R. Gates, R. Saunders, E. Gould, J. Fregeau, R. Schaefer. ROW 4—D. Workman, G. Friend, W. Dotter, B. Smith, J. Fredendall, L. St. Dennis.

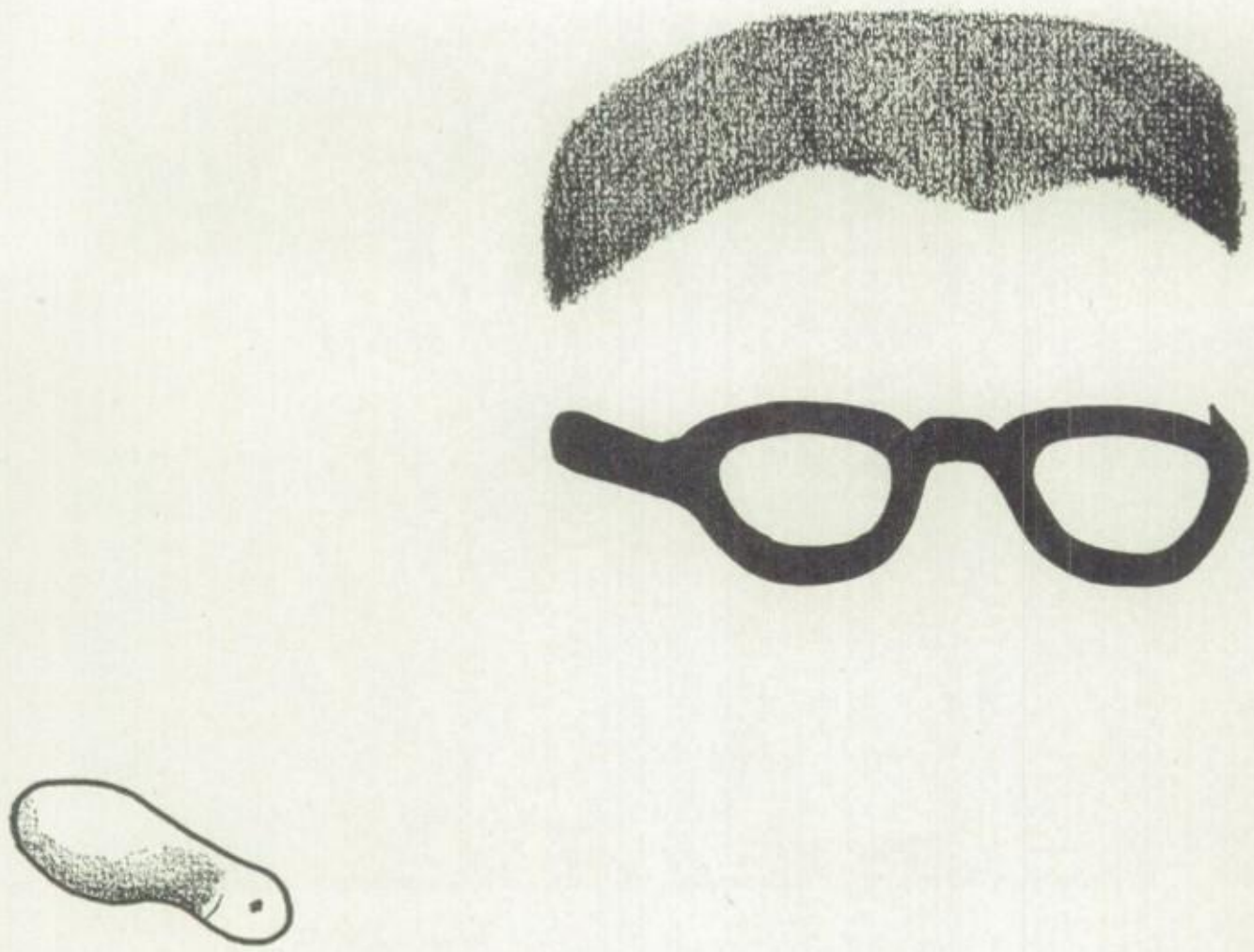
ROOKIES

C218

ROW 1—J. Shoemaker, R. Daugherty, P. Peterson, E. Pember, B. Willever, D. Chialda, J. Elliott, D. Ast, W. Yagla. ROW 2—B. Powell, J. Pharo, P. Erickson, E. Evenson, J. Archambault, P. Freeman, G. Denson. ROW 3—D. Shimmins, E. Ray, B. McCollum, S. Worthing, M. Quigley, B. Short, K. Edmonds, N. Pier. ROW 4—R. Cooper, F. Peterson, D. Ayres, R. Drake, J. Anderson, J. Poole, C. Rieken.

ABSENTEES

ROW 1—D. Strommen, B. Lekie, C. Nichols; ROW 2—M. Long, D. Jero; ROW 3—D. Collier, F. Johnson, D. Mahlum.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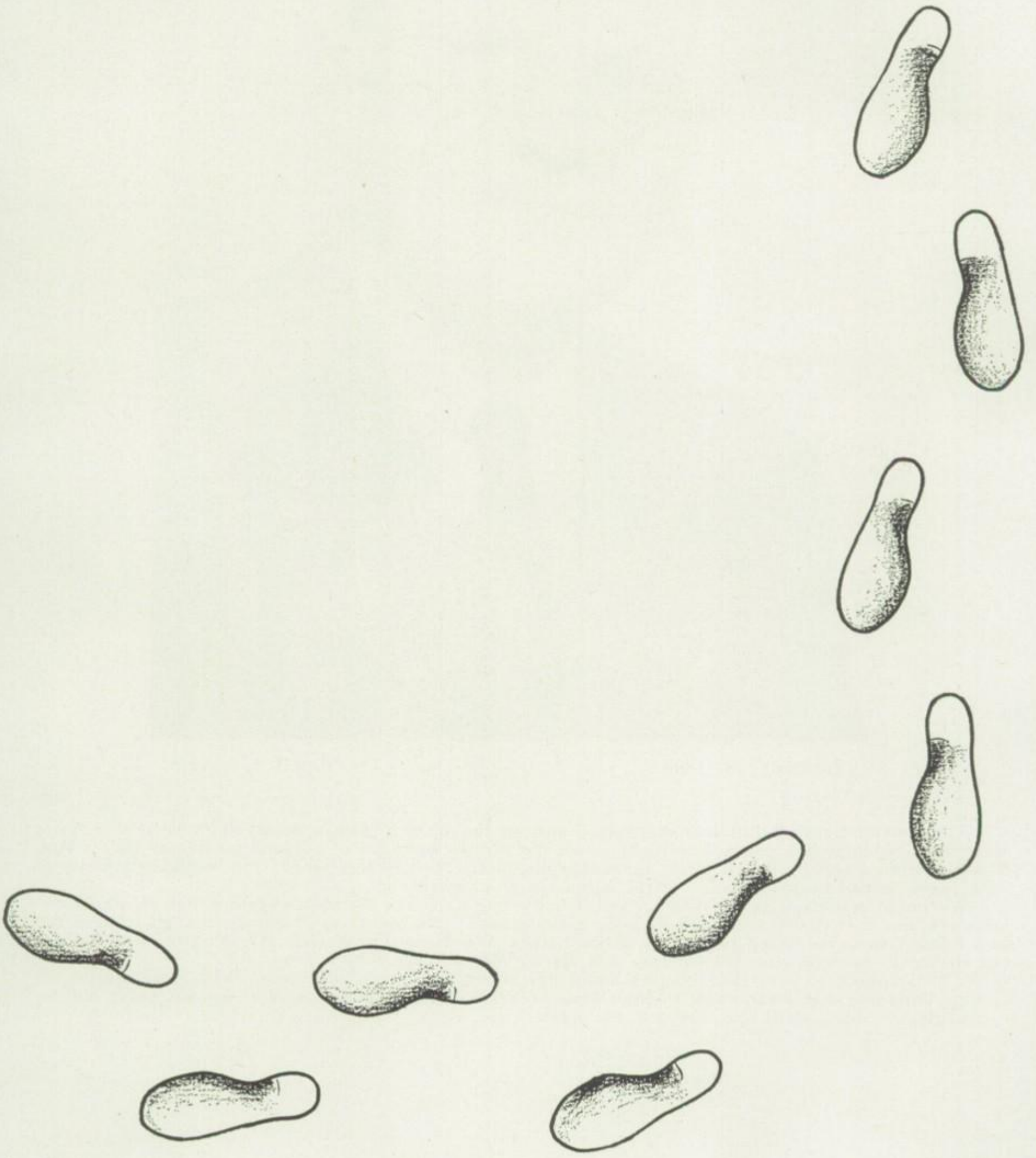

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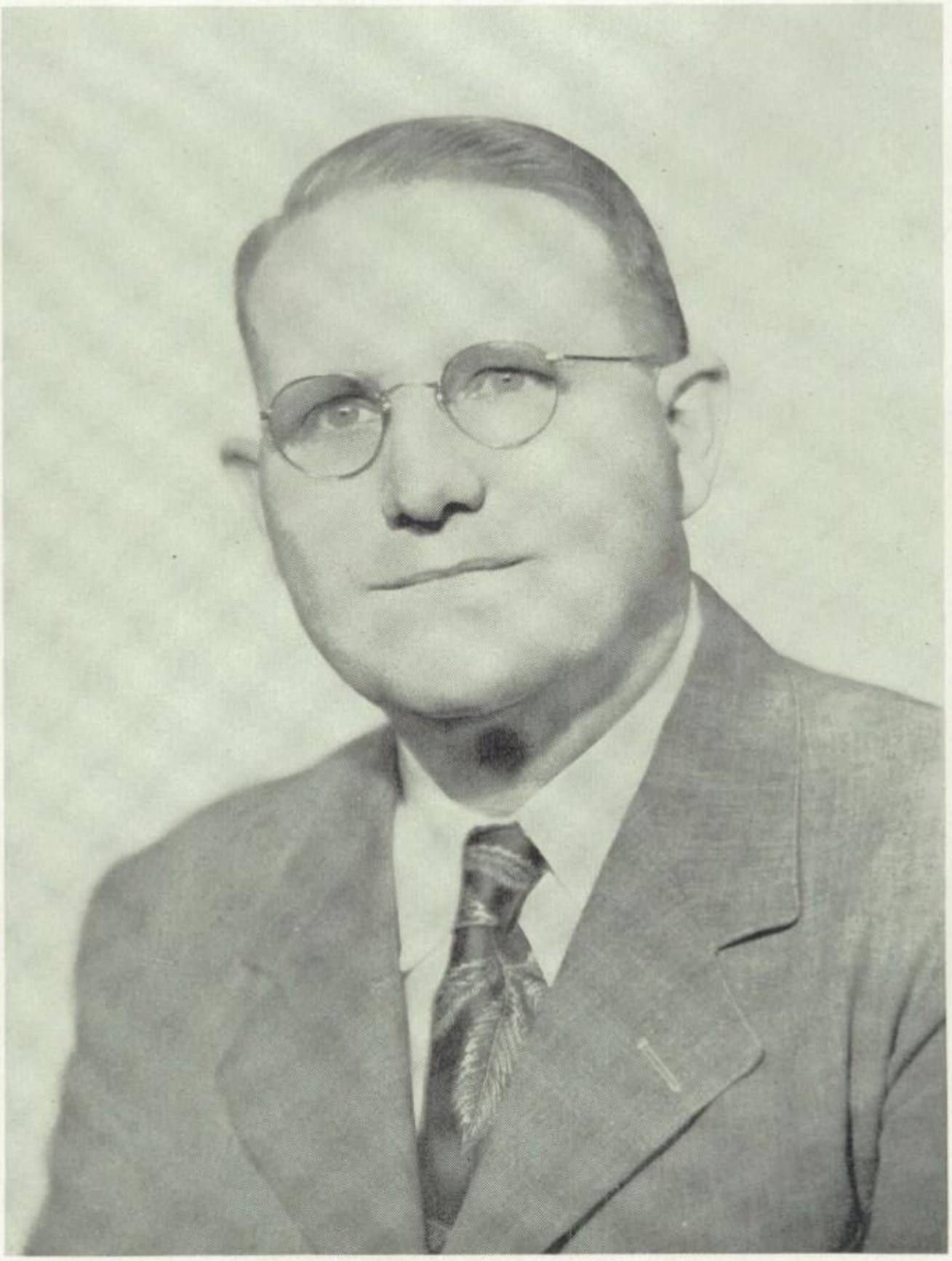

January 28, 1898 — April 8, 1955

The community of Beloit was shocked to hear of the death of James Wootton on April 8, in Utica, New York. A fatal heart attack brought to an end thirty-two years of devoted service to Beloit High School. In his years at Beloit High, he taught chemistry, practical science, and mathematics. In recent years he had been in charge of the audio-visual program.

We could use many paragraphs to tell of his virtues and the faithful way in which he performed his work, but that is not necessary because every student that was ever fortunate enough to have him as a teacher can give living testimony of his virtues. We do not know what Mr. Wootton's motto was, but we think the following one used by *The Beloit News-Flash* very appropriate:

> "I expect to pass through this world but once. Any good, therefore, that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any fellow creature, let me do it now. Let me not defer nor neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again."

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Whitewater State Normal School; University of Iowa, B.A., M.A.; University of Wisconsin.

OLE G. KVITLE
Assistant Principal
Door-Kewaunee County Normal; Whitewater State College; University of Wisconsin, Ph.B., Ph.M.

The class of 1955 has, by its record, continued to strengthen three qualities among the students of Memorial High School which will pay handsome dividends in the future. First, there is a definite effort by a large number of students to establish for themselves standards of academic achievement which are directly in line with their ability. Second, each year more students are electing "fifth" courses, because of a sincere desire to make the most of the educational opportunities offered them. Third, more students are, each year, choosing the "tough" courses because they offer a real challenge to strong academic ability.

The rewards of these efforts are numerous. For the students who enter college, their ability to pass scholarship examinations with excellence is each year bringing more and more of the really substantial scholarships, even up to nearly two thousand dollars per year, to our graduates. For those entering the world of work, the possession of a strong high school record is their strongest recommendation. And for all, there is no greater personal satisfaction than the realization that their record shows work well done.

For these, we congratulate you.

ROYAL B. EVERILL, Principal
OLE G. KVITLE, Assistant Principal

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HELEN GARMAN

SYLVA RASMUSSEN

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A Typical English Teacher.

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Another Typical English Teacher.

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We are sorry that we were unable to get a picture of Mr. DeBruyne.

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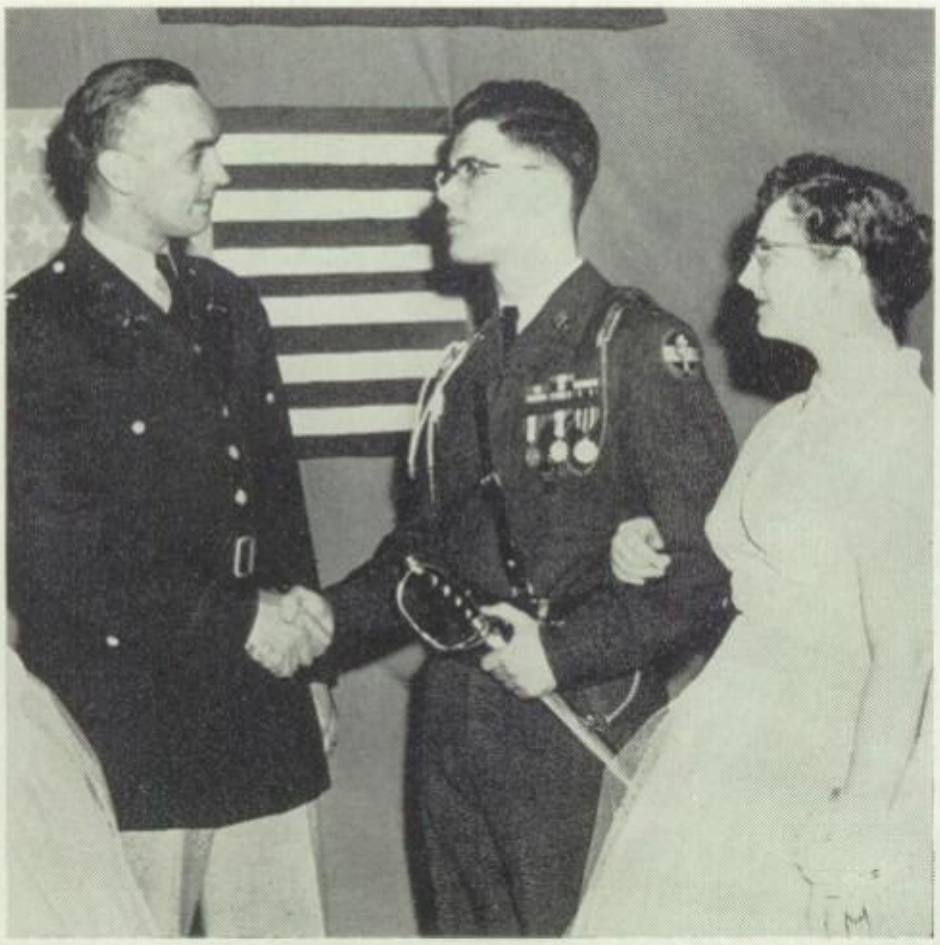

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The Thinker.

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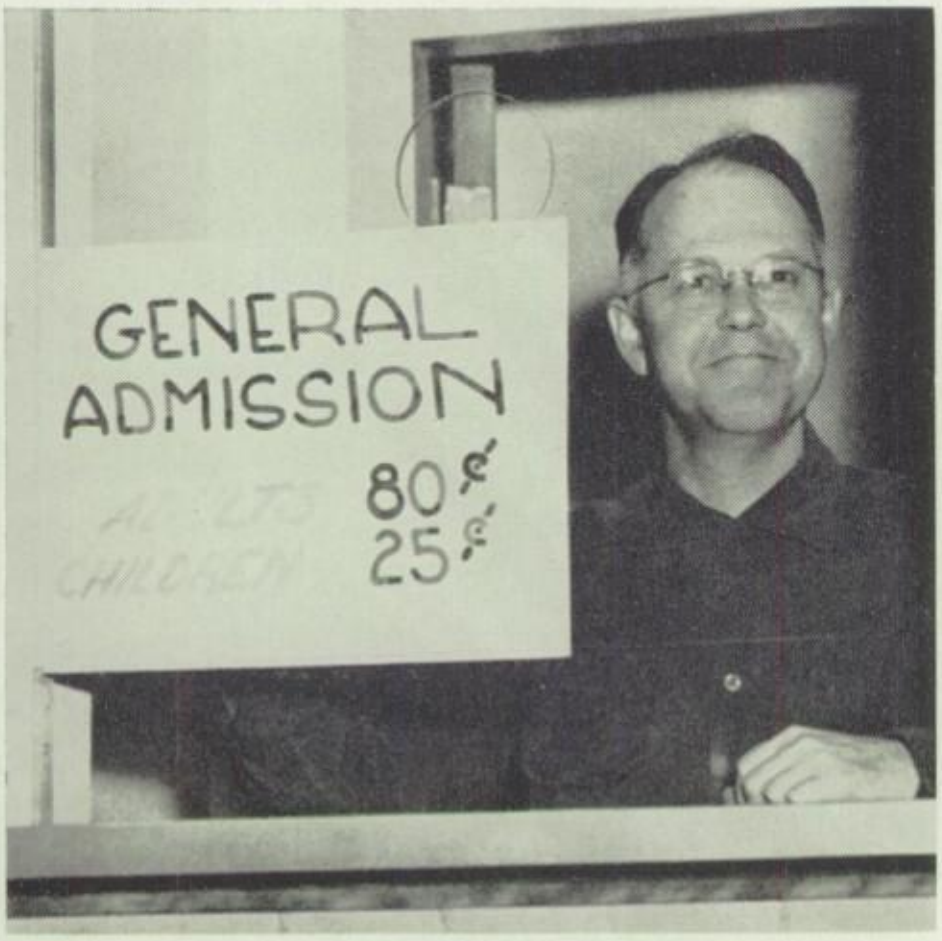

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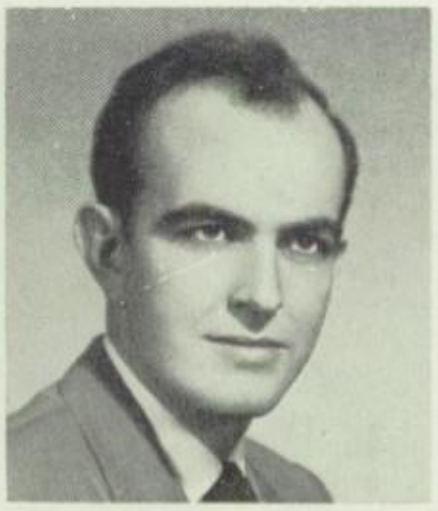

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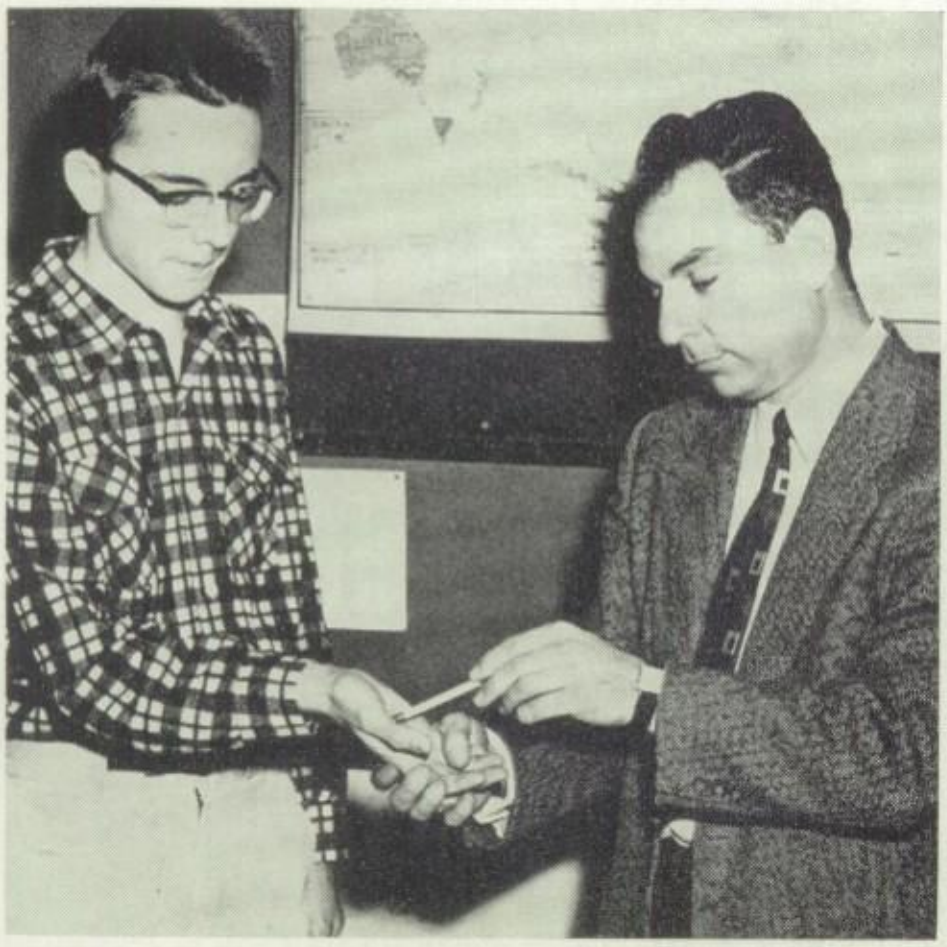

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The better to hear you.

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BOBBIE CONE
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(Left to Right around the table) Burton Williams, Mrs. Paul Van Horn, William Goers, Dale Thompson, Charles Jones, Jervis Swannack, William Freeman, Emanuel Kapitanoff.

To the Class of 1955:

We hope your experiences in the Beloit Public Schools have not only provided you with the necessary basic skills but also have contributed richly to your concept of the American Way of Life.

You may violate your natural intellectual curiosity by passive resistance to our great wealth of knowledge or you can preserve your great heritage by wise investment in the rich market of culture and knowledge.

You may sacrifice understanding and practice of the American Way of Life by inflammation through the communistic philosophy or you can recognize the value of human dignity and decency, avoiding enslavement of the common man.

You may, by over-indulgence in intoxicating beverages, destroy yourselves either slowly or rapidly on the treadmill of misery and despair or you can choose to retain your judgment, money and self-respect by intelligent abstinence.

You may use the modern high-powered automobile as a convenient method of transportation or you can use it as ticket to the valley of death.

You may ridicule the holy institution of marriage by regarding it as a mere pleasure ride on the sea of passion or you can recognize it as a dignified carriage of decency sanctified by God.

You may avoid or neglect the rich and lasting value of faith in your Creator or you can recognize and practice the basic principles of goodness and decency as taught by the Greatest Teacher who ever lived.

We hope you young people will cast that mold of influence which can be tooled into a beautiful pattern of respect, virtue and integrity which is so vital to the American Way of Life.

Congratulations and Good Luck to the Class of 1955.

C. E. JONES
Superintendent of Schools

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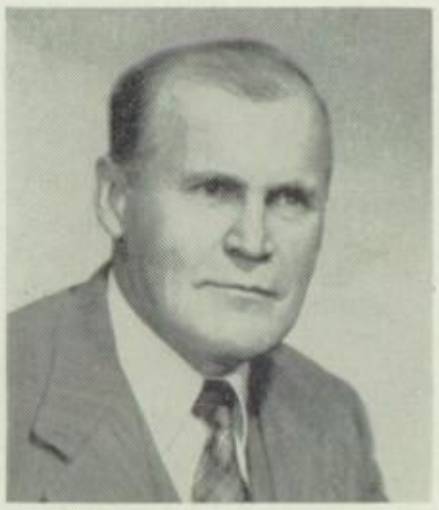
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FROM START TO FINISH

STUDENTS IN ACTION

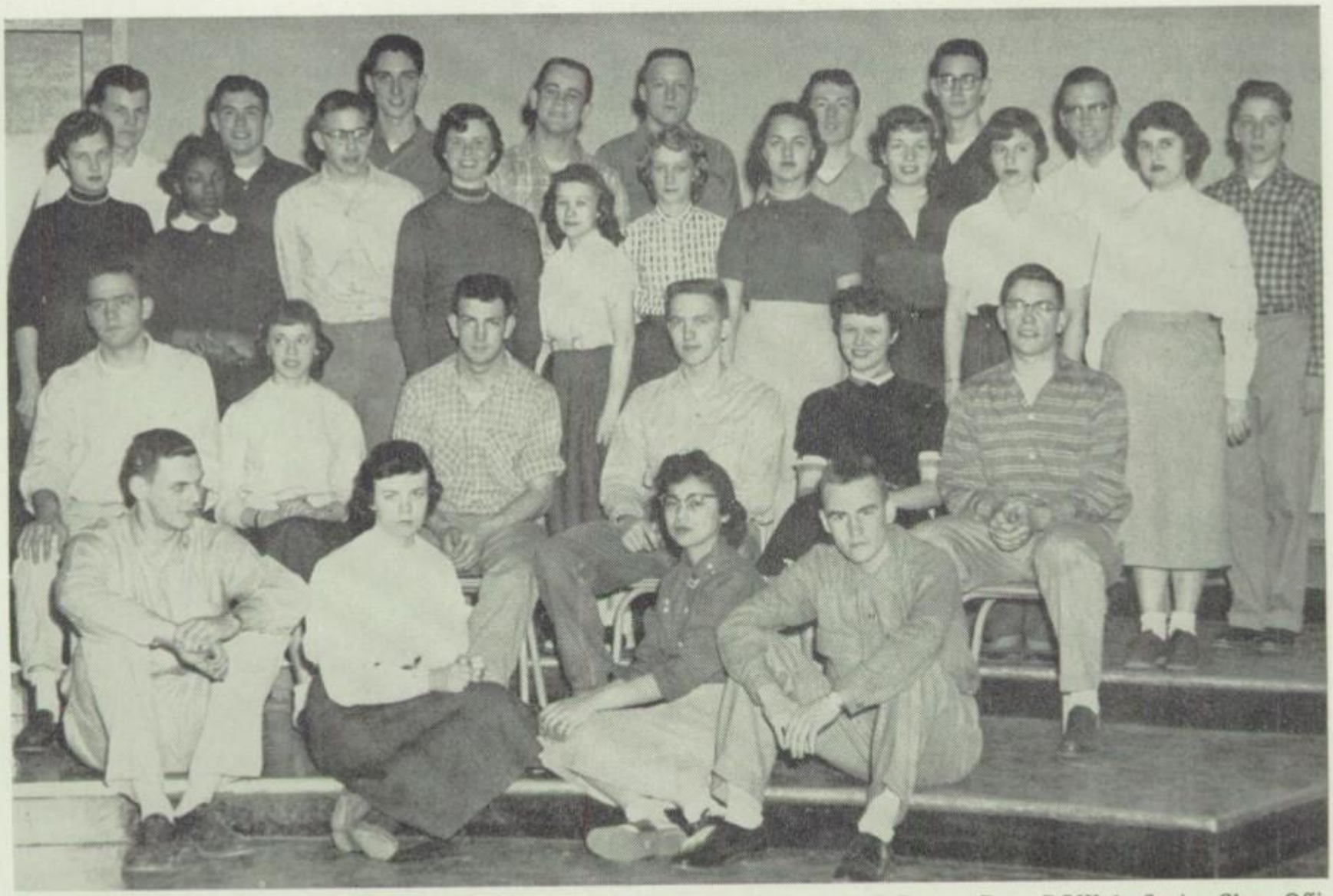
STUDENT COUNCIL–OFFICERS AND ACTIVITIES

Left to right: Dwayne Berg, V. Pres.; Janice Holmes, Treas.; Mary Wong, Secretary; James Luety, Pres.; Mr. Ole Kvitle, Advisor.

The organization—Student Council. The time—Once a week. The place—Community Room. The assignment—To make a better school. The officers: President — Jim Luety, Vice President—Dwayne Berg, Secretary—Mary Wong, Treasurer—Janice Holmes. The advisor—Mr. Kvitle.

The Council worked hard this year. They had several projects. They purchased a new Hallicrafter television set, bought Big Eight banners for the gym, set up a bulletin board to inform the students, sold student directories, held elections for class offices, planned Homecoming, Midget Homecoming, the Junior-Senior Prom, the Student-Faculty Banquet, Student-Teacher Day, sponsored the usual Friday night dances, held Student Council Officers elections and many other varied activities. It's been a good year for a good Council. These are the facts . . . The verdict . . . a successful year for all.

STUDENT COUNCIL



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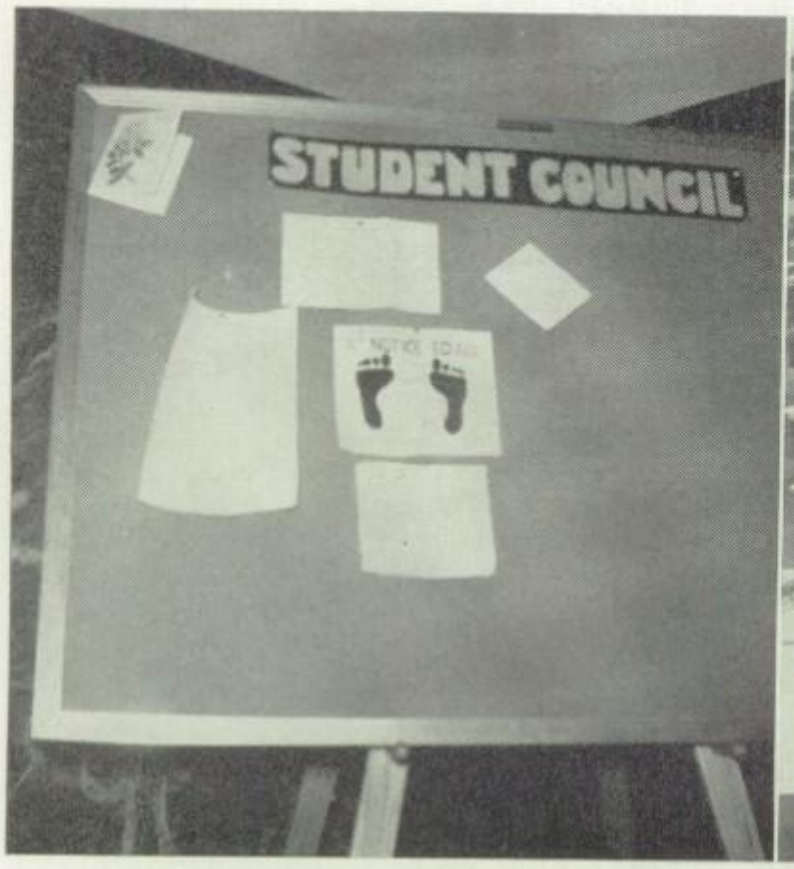

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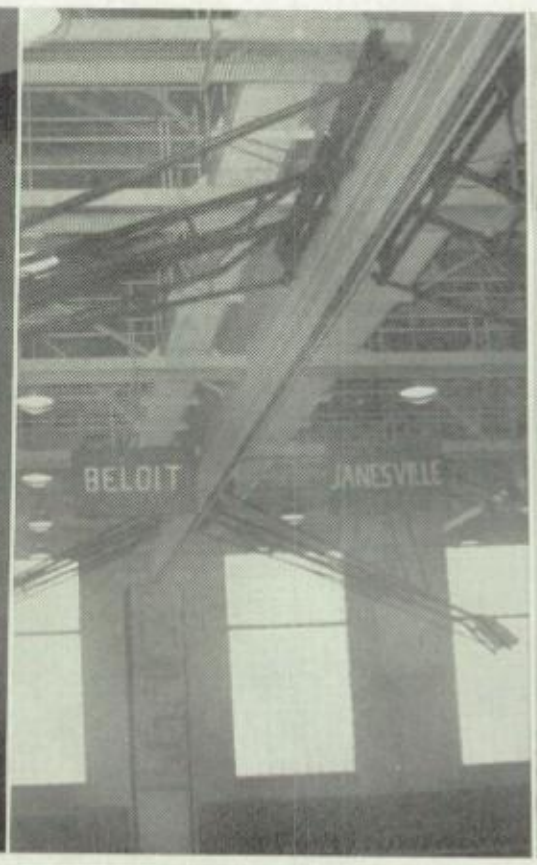

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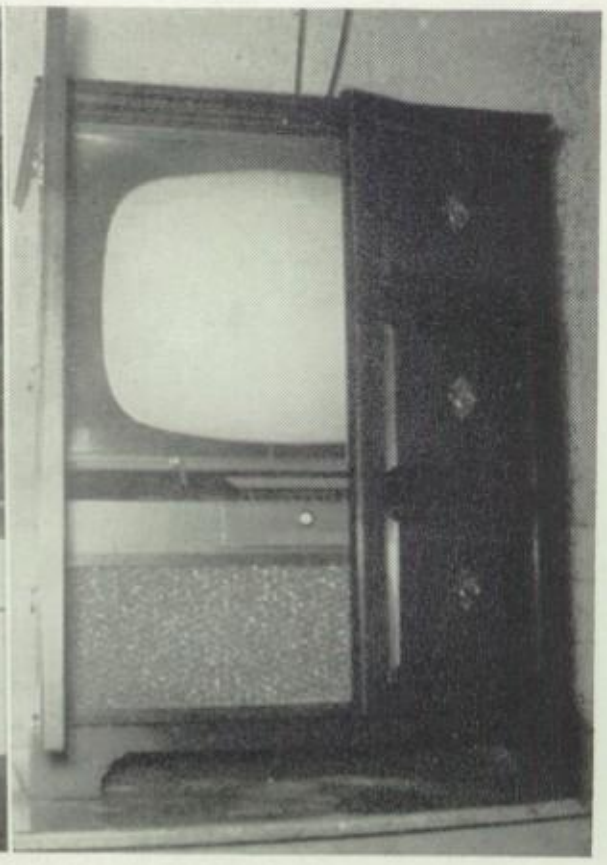

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Time: school year 1954-'55. Place: corridors of Memorial High.

The facts:

At the beginning of the school year many students were chosen to be hall monitors. Each hour students are placed at certain locations in the hall to collect yellow slips, run errands, and aid strangers and visitors who come to our building. A desk is provided each student so that he or she may study if they want. Twelve students are needed each hour to successfully perform the duties necessary.

JR. RED CROSS

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The club—Jr. Red Cross. The time: all the time—ready and active. The officers—Pres. Jerry Fisher, 1st Semester, Judy Walsh, 2nd semester, Vice President, David Palmer, Secretary-Treasurer; Mary Ann Wright. The assignment: Service to all. These are the facts: Their activities consist of conducting Roll call for Red Cross membership, providing a speaker's bureau, a school chest favors to veteran's hospital, entertainment for veterans, two-hundred and two gift boxes, collecting clothing for a local needy family and other similar service activities. The capable advisors—Miss Seaver and Mrs. Teska. The council worked hard. They hold meetings when business demands it. Delegates are sent to summer camp. They do a good job.

STAGE CREW

Left to Right: ROW 1—C. Arbuthmot, J. Johns, T. Lee, T. Rhodes, W. Strong. ROW 2—J. Wilhelm, J. Reinholz, J. Hill—Co-Manager, C. Sweeney, B. Fowler—Co-Manager, J. Ocker. ROW 3—Art Staff: M. Eysnogle, B. Bunnel—Chairman, C. Schowalter, J. Burnham, E. Cushman.

Time—every spare minute, the whole year of 1954-55. Place—anywhere that people are performing. Assignment—make the theater in Beloit a better art.
This is the stage crew—

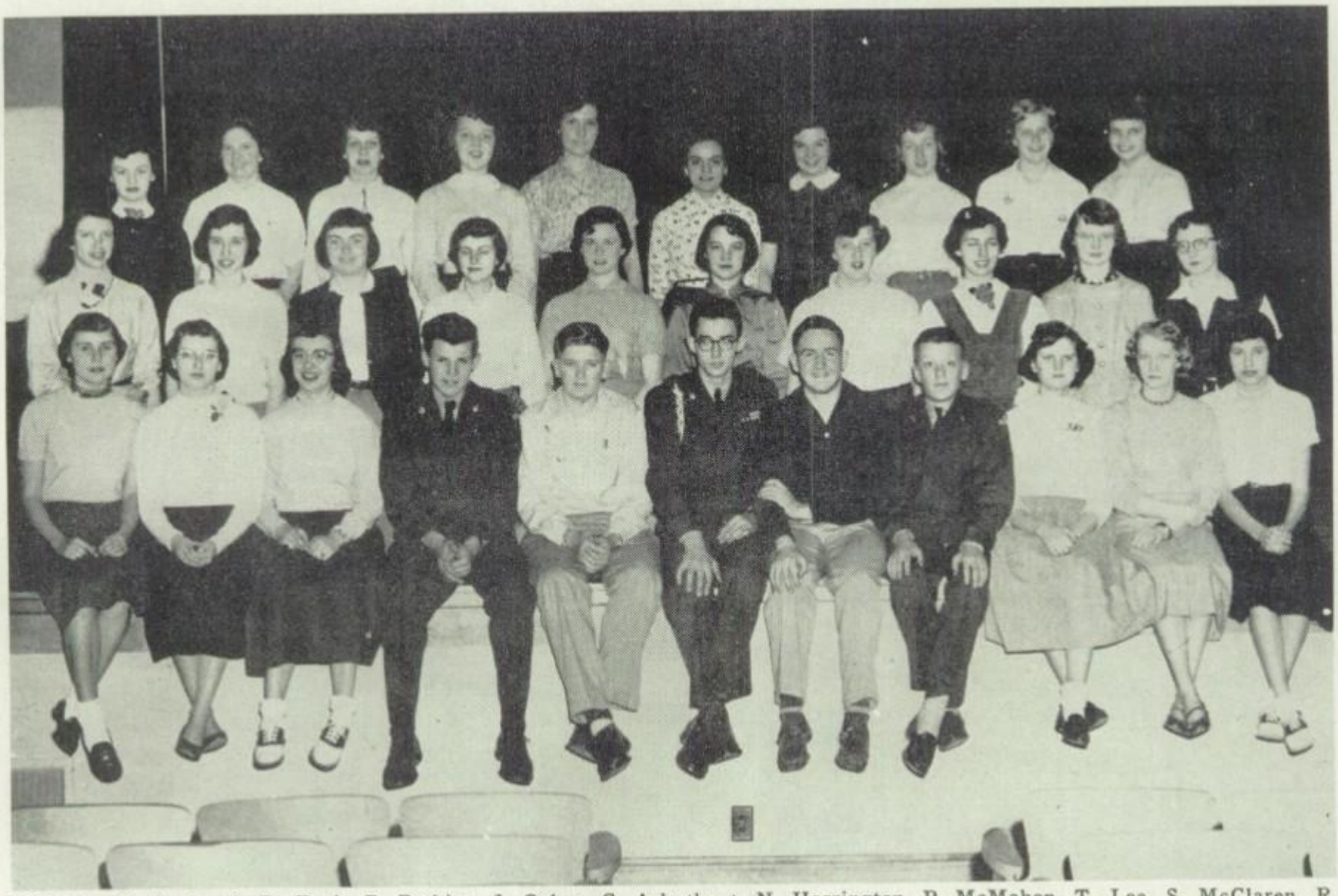
This year the fifteen members of the crew were managed by Bruce Fowler and Jack Hill, and advisement came from Mrs. "R". This was the first year girls were allowed to be members of the crew: they served as the crew's own private art staff with Barbara Bunnell as chairman.

For most of the seniors on the crew, especially the Stage Managers, the arts of the theatre have been forged since their sophomore year. During this year on the average of three hours a day was spent by the managers and different crew members in order to produce such productions as "Connecticut Yankee" and Christmas Program, the operettas, the Easter Assembly, (for which the violet cross lights alone took 2½ hours of work to adjust), "Time Out for Ginger", and literally scores of other productions.

Because of their great love for the theatre and the promotion of civic interests, a number of the crew has helped outside groups such as Beloit Civic Theatre, Hospital Auxiliary, Clinton High School, Beloit Community Concert Association, and numerous church groups. There's little doubt in anyone's mind that the Stage Crew rates high in service and civic betterment for B.H.S. and the community as a whole.

JR. THEATRE

Left to Right: ROW 1—J. Hill, J. Berger, J. Reinholz. ROW 2—S. Meyers, J. Polaski, S. Hill, C. Dary, N. Grahm, J. Vuchetich, D. Walther. ROW 3—J. Donaldson, B. Willever, M. Ahrens, J. Reedy, R. Parker, P. Lee, R. Corvaia. ROW 4—J. Burnham, J. Ringquist, J. McKay, N. Watson, B. Campbell, P. Jacobson, D. Walsh, C. Amrine, K. Emilson, B. Hallburg. ROW 5—E. Cushman, W. Strong, T. Rhodes, B. Fowler, M. Tamblingson, C. Sweeney, W. House, R. Hurley, K. Nelson.



ROW 1—G. Scodwell, D. Tuck, P. Perkins, J. Ocker, C. Arbuthnot, N. Harrington, P. McMahon, T. Lee, S. McClaren, R. Malsch, V. Richardson. ROW 2—M. Buckeridge, Y. Wright, E. Lang K. Clark, G. Macklem, L. Ihle, D. Keister, B. Hornby, P. Granger, Y. Dressler. ROW 3—D. Chayer, M. Hebb, F. Green, A. Brown, S. Klinger, C. Bellard, P. Miller, S. Burnham, T. Carroll, S. Mountain.

The club: Junior Theatre. Officers: Jack Hill, Pres.; John Reinholz, V. Pres.; Barbara Bunnell, Sec.; Judy Berger, Treas.; The activities: Initiation of new members and pot luck supper; all-school play; spring picnic; usher service at Civic Theatre productions. The advisor: Mrs. E. Reinholz.

SENIOR N.H.S. (ELECTED AS JUNIORS)

Left to Right: ROW 1—Mr. Page—Advisor, M. Wong, R. Bloedel, J. Walsh, J. Lang, C. Schowalter, B. Bunnell. ROW 2—D. Palmer, A. Rubnitz, S. Bolen, J. Fisher, N. Taylor, J. Burnham, S. Knutson. ROW 3—C. McClure, J. Walker, D. Berg, R. Taggart, J. Wescott, E. Kimmel, B. Petrof.

The organizations—National Honor Society

This includes all the members. Those elected as Juniors in 1954, those elected as Juniors in 1955 and Seniors of 1955. The advisors—Mr. Page and Mr. Farestad.

Here are the facts: Students are elected by the faculty on the basis of scholarship, leadership, citizenship and service. The officers serve for a short term and then alternate.

The meetings are interesting. They have intellectual discussions, visiting speakers and social events.

The Honor Societies are of great benefit to its active members. It is an honor to be elected.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

(ELECTED AS SENIORS)

Left to Right: ROW 1—W. Gordon, G. Chalmers, S. Johnson, E. Katsaras, N. O'Brien. ROW 2—Mr. Page—Advisor, L. Goodrich, C. Warren, A. Wiley, J. Junig, L. Nelson, L. Stadel, G. Siekierski, D. Woodard, R. Monroe. ROW 3—R. Mjaanes, C. Johnson, K. Hauger, J. Holmes, C. Stark, P. Oberbruner, J. Ringquist, E. Brewster. ROW 4—D. Lancaster, J. Reinholz, R. Borkenhagen, R. Perkins, J. Benkovich, J. Edwards, D. Schneider.

JUNIOR N. H. S. (1955)

Left to Right: ROW 1—D. Chayer, L. Van Epps, S. Burnham, B. Campbell, Y. Dressler, K. Plautz. ROW 2—E. Lang, S. Siepert, D. Mortag, L. Raddatz, M. Ruegger, K. Nelson. ROW 3—J. Daniels, L. Pohlman, D. Jones A. Putterman, J. Swannack, N. Harrington, Walter Strong (Wee Yee Absent)

DEBATE

Left to Right. ROW 1—P. McMahon, J. Ringquist, D. Walsh, C. Johnson, D. Saxton, D. Kindschi, R. Kitto. ROW 2—Mr. Page, Advisor, D. Lyons, D. Palmer, E. Kimmel, C. Cherry, A. Putterman, T. Goldsworthy.

David Palmer ..... *President*
Curtis Cherry ..... *Affirmative Chairman*
Robert Kitto ..... *Negative Chairman*

FORENSICS

Left to right. ROW 1—P. Johnson, A. Putterman, D. Berg, C. Cherry. ROW 2—J. Walsh, J. McKay, S. Johnson. ROW 3—B. Campbell, S. Hile, K. Clark, D. Kindschi, P. Jacobson, N. Watson.

At the District tournament, Lois VanEpps, Priscilla Jacobson, Phillip Johnson and Curtis Cherry received A ratings to go on to the Sectional at Fort Atkinson. From the Sectional, Lois VanEpps and Phillip Johnson went to the State. Both received B ratings there.

LANGUAGE CLUB

Left to right. ROW 1—P. Johnson, A. Little, R. Procter. ROW 2—J. Payne, M. Hiser, B. Willever, C. Bellard, V. Richardson, B. Campbell. ROW 3—E. Thorson, J. Carpenter, B. Short, S. Klinger, A. Brown, P. Nelson, R. Malsch, J. Kliver.

Left to right. ROW 1—B. Zartman, J. Young, J. Chamberlin, K. Heinze, M. Hebb, G. Reedy, D. Walsh. ROW 2—C. Hinderliter, J. Kelsey, P. Fisher, K. Kernland, P. Lee, B. A. Williams. ROW 3—D. Willard, W. Gobel, M. Koons, J. Anderson, D. Stadler, J. Mathews, C. Stanley, P. McMahon.

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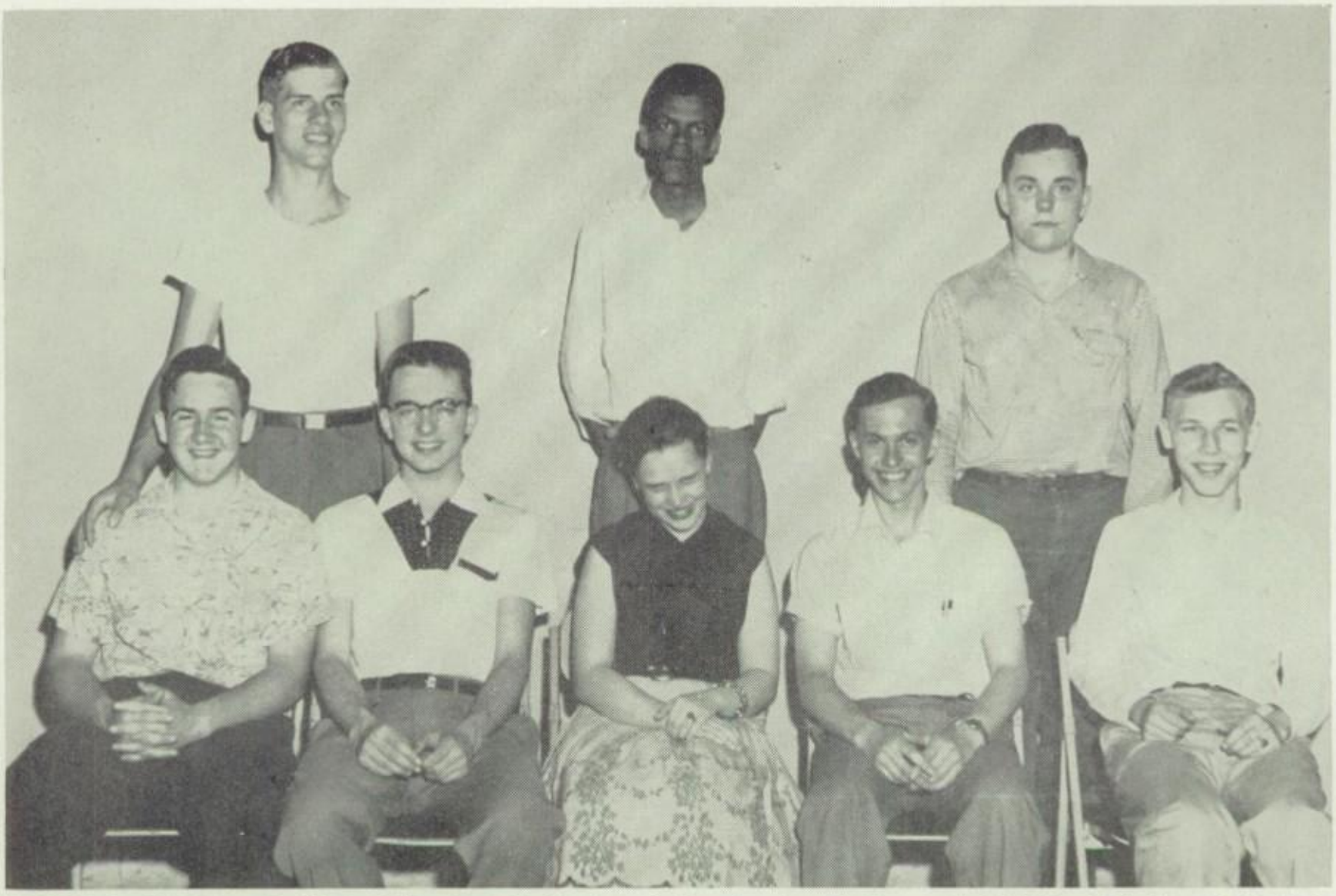


ROW 1—P. McMahon, D. Hirsig, Vice Pres., E. Pember, R. Ramsing, Sec., R. Borgwardt. ROW 2—R. Perkins, M. McCord, R. Petrof, President.

CREATIVE WRITING

Left to right. ROW 1—C. Cherry, Vice President, D. Hirsig, B. Perkins, President, P. McMahon. ROW 2—G. Kohl, C. Perkins, E. Andersen, P. Oberbruner, N. O'Brien, Secretary.

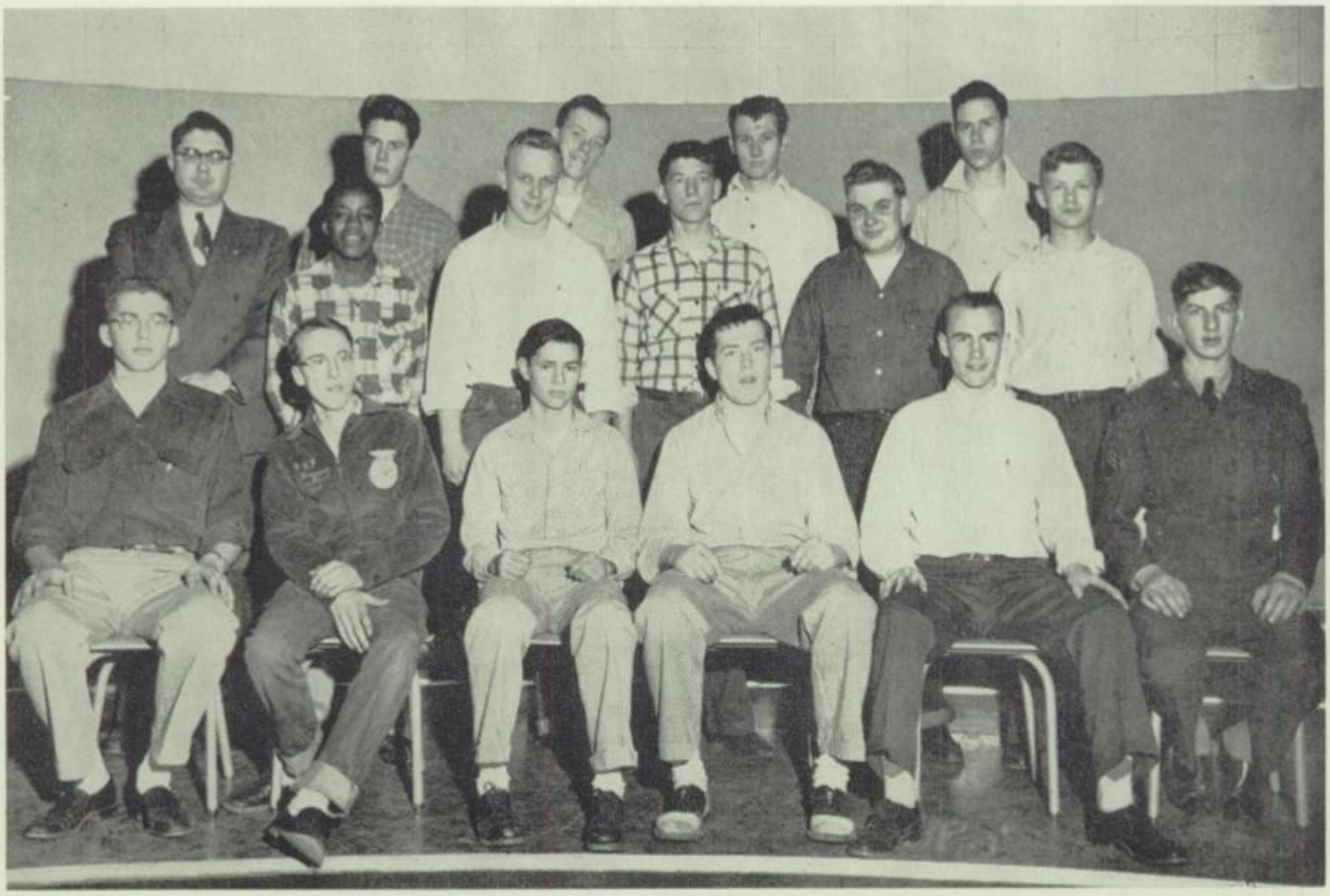
FUTURE TEACHERS

ROW 1—E. Cushman, C. Knutson, J. Burnham—Pres., G. Reedy, P. Miller. ROW 2—G. Kohl, E. Pembers, C. Hinderliter, E. Zirwes, Winifred D. Keister, R. Malsch. ROW 3—J. Walsch, B. Fowler, M. Tamblingson, P. McMahon, C. Cherry, K. Miller.

The time—the club has been active all year. The assignment—Charter meeting of the Daisie Chapin Chapter of the Future Teachers of America. The place — Memorial High School.

The activities included a delegation to the S.W.E.A. Teachers' Convention and a trip to Gaston for a demonstration by the whole group. The advisor—Mr. Farestad. The officers—Jacqueline Burnham, president; Rondi Malsch, vice-president; Barbara Baunnell, secretary-treasurer; Connie Hinderliter, historian; Patrick McMahon, librarian; and Carol Knutsen, senior representative. The purpose of the club is to stimulate interest in the teaching profession.

FUTURE FARMERS



Left to right. ROW 1—D. Jones, Vice President, J. Fregeau, Sentinel, R. Mackie, Treasurer, T. Herold, President, J. Luety, Reporter, M. Moe, Secretary. ROW 2—Mr. Rabe, Advisor, G. Gordon, B. Olson, W. Schoonover, M. Plankey, B. Burn. ROW 3—F. Reddy, R. Kitelinger, N. Simons, D. Kilman.

FUTURE FARMERS

ROW 1—W. Schliem, W. Dwyer, D. Olson, R. Daugherty, C. Turner, P. Hartman. ROW 2—L. Visgar, P. Hanewall, R. Dunn, W. Mackie, R. Schendel, D. Burns. ROW 3—G. Bell, D. Myhrvold, A. Alf, B. Lee, L. Kesler.

FUTURE NURSES

Left to Right: ROW 1—G. Short, B. McCraley, E. Foster, R. Corvaia, E. Thorson—Program Chairman, J. Carpenter—President, D. Tuck—Sec., J. Tittle, B. Jackson, P. Rounds. ROW 2—S. Howard, M. Ruegger, T. Carroll, J. Donaldson, J. Weston, M. Singletary, L. Stadel, P. Johnston, K. Clark, J. Schnaitler. ROW 3—M. Bradford, E. Grady, J. Lierman, J. Gafke, B. Smith, P. Oberbruner, R. Monroe, C. Warren, J. McKay, G. Brocker.

The club, Future Nurses. Officers—J. Carpenter, President; C. Warren, Vice-President; D. Tuck, Secretary; E. Thorson, Program; Miss Hess, Advisor; Purpose—promotion of nursing.

Events of the year—

In November, Miss Degnan and two student nurses from Mercy Hospital in Janesville, spoke to the club and presented the movie, "Careers in Nursing". Meetings were held at the Beloit Hospital with talks given by the different heads of departments there. Tours through the Beloit Hospital helped to familiarize the club members with such departments as surgery, physical therapy, laboratory, and x-ray.

ART CLUB

ROW 1—E. Wheeler, L. Nelson, E. Cushman. ROW 2—I. Washburn, P. Griinke, M. Quigley, N. Wald, A. Hanson, M. Eysnogle, N. Real, B. Bunnell. ROW 3—P. Elithrope, E. Quigley, D. Walther, S. Owens, J. Stewart, P. Proctor, J. Crowley, H. Cobb, E. Andersen. ROW 4—J. Haase, R. Nemetz, E. Lee, P. Weeks, C. Druetzler, N. Wilson, J. Lang, S. Brandt, G. Scodwell, B. Fowler.

The club—Art Club, Officers—Estella Cushman, president; Lorraine Nelson, vice-president; Esther Wheeler, secretary-treasurer; Mary Lou Eysnogle, program; and Geraldine Scodwell, social. The purpose—to promote a deeper understanding of art. The activities—won first place in Homecoming float competition, trimmed school's Christmas tree, and went to Chicago to the Art Institute and the musical, "King and I". The advisor—Mrs. Daws.

SENIOR Y-TEENS

Left to Right: ROW 1—M. Haberle, A. Porter, S. Hill, J. Polaski, S. Johnson. ROW 2—R. Gharrity, N. Grahm, D. Bue, C. Robison, M. Cole, J. Ellis. ROW 3—P. Bonafede, L. Stadel, J. Vuchetich, C. Amrine. ROW 4—M. Stokes, P. Oberbruner, J. Gafke, B. Smith, C. Dary, S. Davis.

The club—Y-Teens. All of them. Sophomore, Junior and Seniors. The officers: Seniors—Sandra Hill, President; Vice President, Jane Vuchetich, Secretary, Jerilyn Albright, Treasurer, Shirley Johnson. Juniors—President, Sandra Siepert; Vice President, Mimi Winger; Secretary, Karen Nelson, and Treasurer, Mary Lou Eysnogle; Sophomores—Judy Archambault, President; Sharon Siepert, Vice President; Diane Pagelow, corresponding secretary, Diane Bramble, recording secretary and Pat Reimer, treasurer.

The place: YWCA. The time: Tuesday nights

The Y-teens meet once a week. They have many service activities as well as social.

Their big project was the play for the children. The play—"Jack In the Beanstalk." The student director—Carol Dary. The leading character — Jack—Sandra Hill; Jack's Mother—Sandra Siepert and the Giant—Peggy Oberbrunner. From the proceeds of the play—A scholarship is given to a Senior girl who has been active in Y-Teen work.

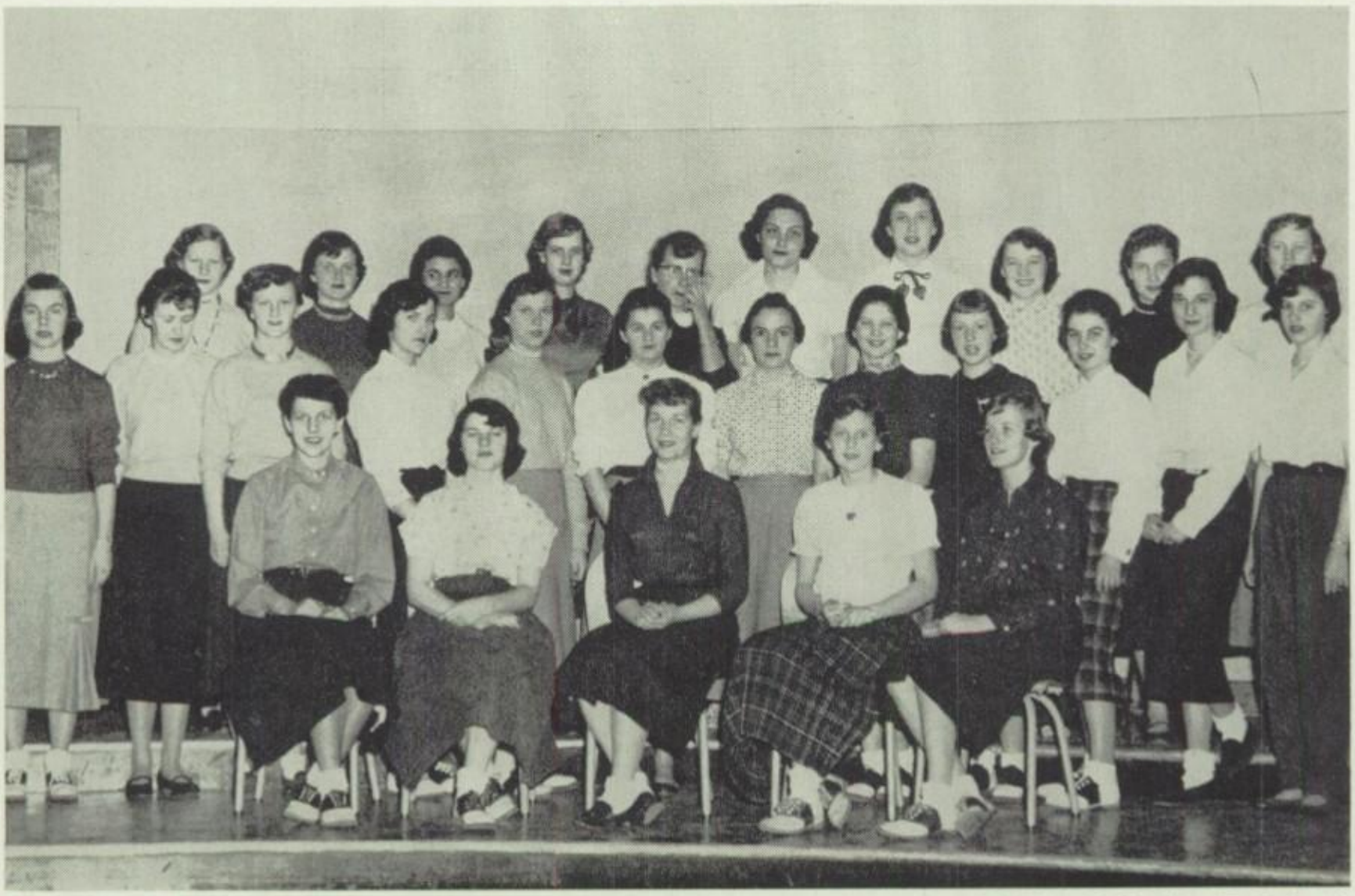
The Y-Teens have fun together. They learn to work and play together.

These are the facts.

JUNIOR Y-TEENS

Left to Right: ROW 1—D. Chayer, M. Halverson, S. Howard, S. Burnham, L. Van Epps, M. Chamberlin; Row 2—J. Walker, M. Winger, K. Nelson, M. Hebb, L. Raddatz, M. Eysnogle; ROW 3—T. Carroll, M. Fowler, D. Conners, R. Brosier, E. Thorson. ROW 4—S. Siepert, L. Bond, D. Mortag, P. Rose, K. Heinze, D. Kant, J. Carpenter, M. Huggins.

SOPHOMORE Y-TEENS



Left to Right: ROW 1—D. Pagelow, P. Reimer, J. Archambault, S. Siepert, D. Bramble. ROW 2—S. Uehling, E. Garbe, J. Kriel, S. Lightfoot, M. Grauel, J. Herbst, C. Bellard, J. Galauner, K. Kernland, S. Hile, C. Pearson, H. Malleris. ROW 3—P. Fisher, G. Macklem, R. Parrinello, B. Langklotz, J. Stewart, K. Rose, J. Rowe, L. Ihle, J. Payne, J. Chamberlin.

BOWLING

Left to right. ROW 1—J. Jensen, R. Hoed, M. Long, D. Jero, P. Reimer, B. Willever, K. Plautz, P. Rounds, D. Chialda. ROW 2—C. Brosier, M. Foat, D. Mortag, D. Beckus, J. Littig, B. Johnson, B. Williams, N. Kaiser, J. Lankoltz, J. Stewart. ROW 3—N Pettit, L. Danks, E. Brewster, Sec., C. King, Pres., P. Johnson, P. Thornton.

G.I.A.

Left to right. ROW 1—N. Taylor, L. Mahan, J. Dilley, L. Acherman, P. Reimer, D. Kindschi, M. Foat, President, B. Jackson, Vice President, A. Harrell, Sports Chairman, R. Pinson, J. Little, J. Mayhew, N. Real. ROW 2—A. Turman, D. Crawley, D. Kant, B. Forbes, K. Edgecomb, V. Buskirk, D. Mortag, K. Hamilton, B. Williams, J. Crowley, L. Brown, G. Chalmers, J. Kelsey, G. Jensen, K. Kirkpatrick, C. Jones, M. Johnson. ROW 3—J. Rossman, M. Brown, D. Beckus, P. Rose, K. Heinze, L. Nelson, K. Rose, N. Wilson.

ORCHESIS

Left to right: B. Campbell, B. Willever, C. Jones, B. Fowler, L. Nelson, D. Walsh, B. Jackson.

Time—3:35 P.M., September 20, 1954. Place—the gym. Assignment—form a modern dance club . . . Orchesis.

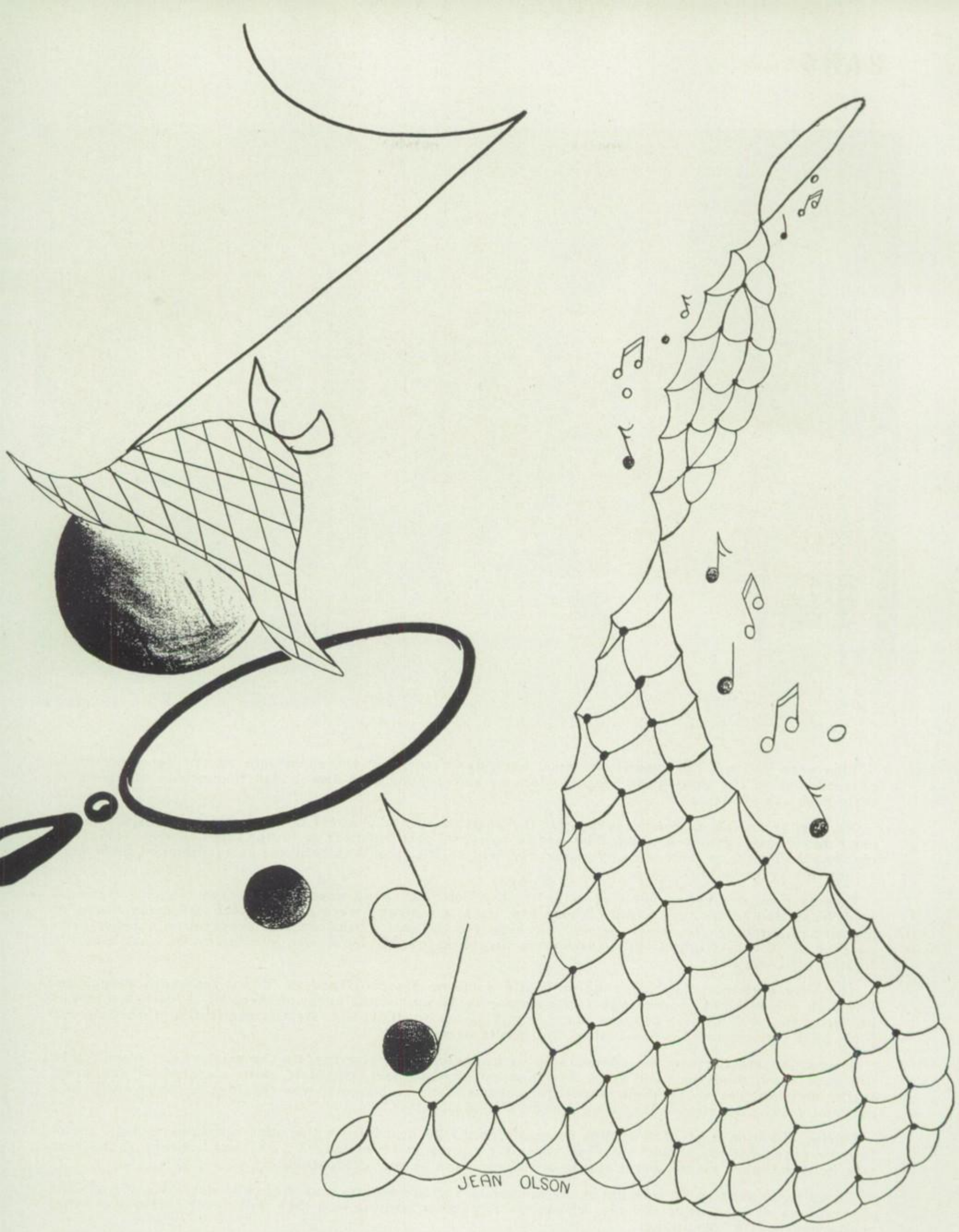
These are the facts—

The Orchesis club members created all of their own dances. Exhibit A—"The Dolls of Santa's Workshop" . . . Christmas Program: Exhibit B—Square Dancers . . . "Down in the Valley". Assistance was offered to the group by Miss Eckes, who helped to plan the dances and the costumes. Besides their participation in the Christmas Program and the operettas, the club also performed in an assembly at Lincoln Jr. High.

Officers of the club were elected early in the year with Bruce Fowler as president, Gerri Scodwell as vice president, and Glenda Kohl as secretary. The club was first taught the basic steps and then allowed to advance at their own pace making up dances as individuals or in small groups.

CHEERLEADERS

Top left to right: Shirley Johnson (senior) 1 year; Sandra Hill (senior) 2 years; Bobbie Jackson (senior) 1 year. Bottom left to right: Betty Ott (sophomore) 1 year; Gloria Spooner (senior) 2 years; Judy Archambault (sophomore) 1 year.



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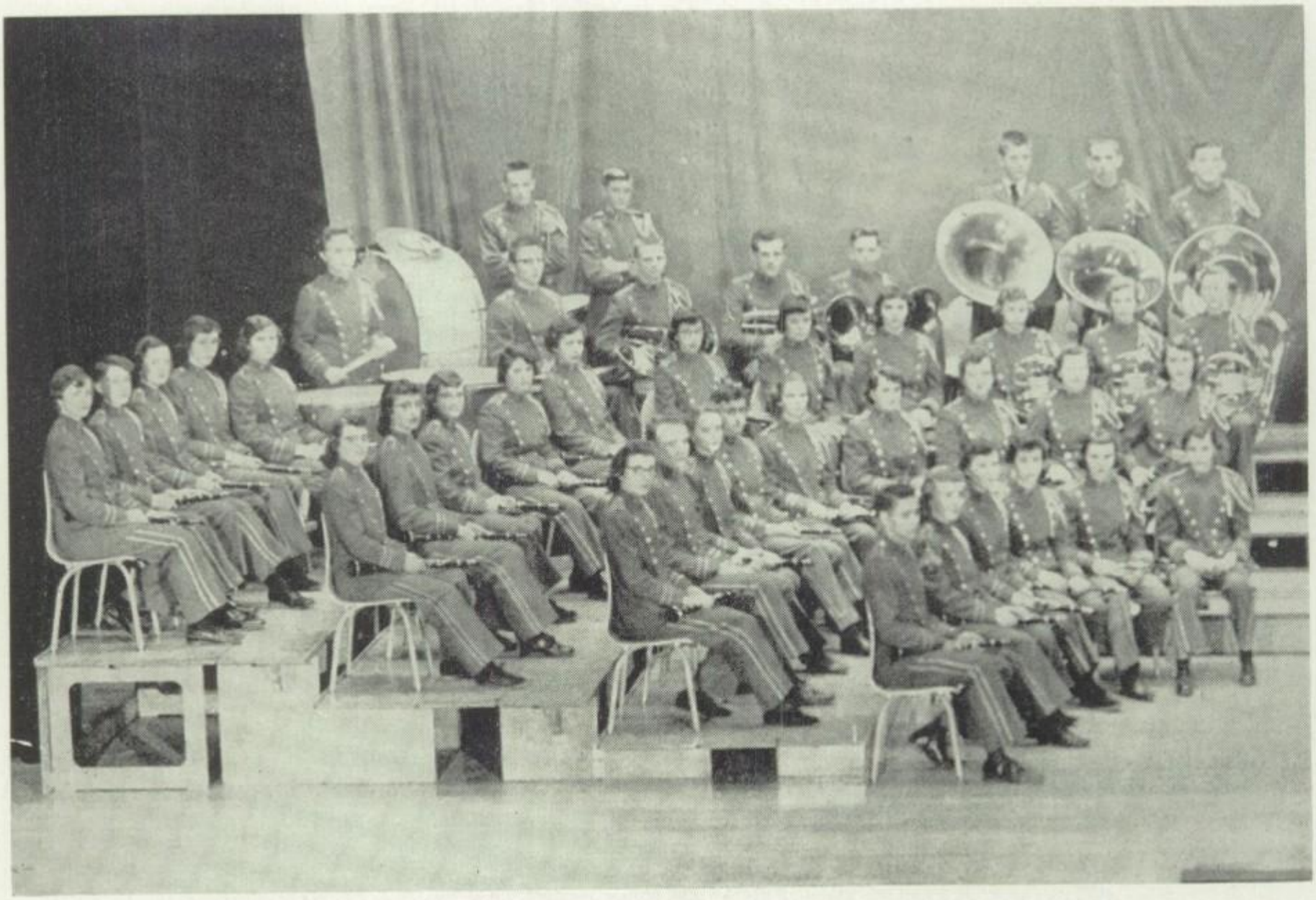


This year in band, the busiest and most exciting of the past three, brought an unforgettable finale of activities to the graduating seniors. Juniors and sophomores also added memorable moments to their high school days.

To start things off all members met for the yearly fall picnic where new friends were made and the band spirit was again rekindled. The band's halftime performances at football games were especially successful. The show with Aunt Jemima, the trip to Madison West, and the senior-planned show were among the season's highlights.

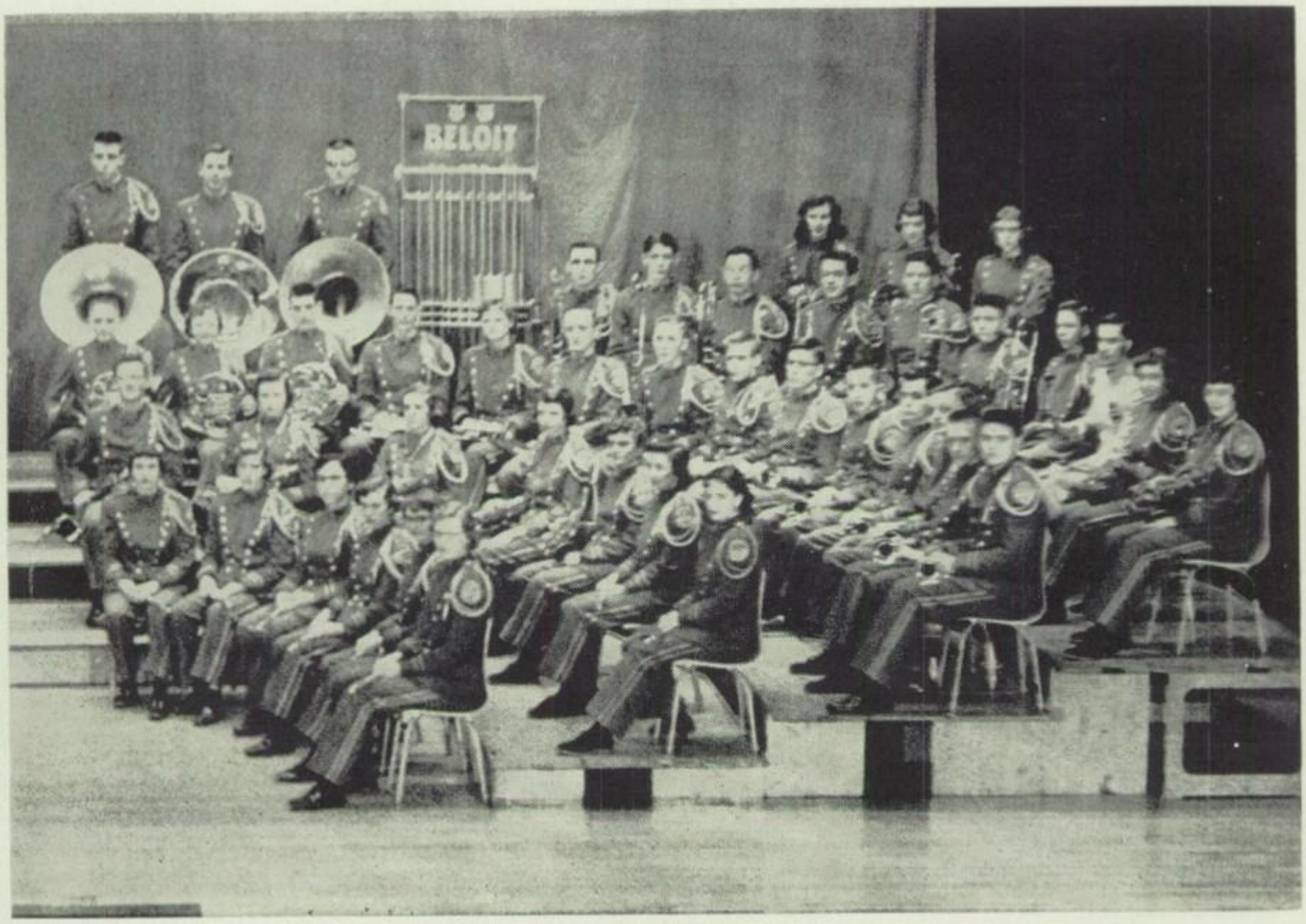
Twenty members will never forget the thrill of playing in an ensemble program for the National Mid-West Band Directors Clinic. Those few days in Chicago were really worth the many hours of practice. Another event which proved exciting for the entire band was the preparation and performance of the Circus Night Concert under the direction of Merle Evans, conductor of the Ringling Brothers Circus band.

The long anticipated spring concert finally came on March 27 and 29. The seventeenth annual Beloit high school band concert was said by many to be one of the finest of them all. A varied, interesting program, well played brought many compliments to the band. At the realization that this was their final concert brief sadness filled the hearts of seniors.

A new undertaking was the sponsorship of a magic show starring the amazing Lee Grabel. The proceeds augmented the band fund. The history of the band, complete with pictures of the drum major and majorettes, football season formations, and the officers, was the March cover story in a national band magazine—"Marching Bands and Majorettes."

During the month of May strains of music could be heard from the open windows as band members prepared for the annual solo and ensemble contest held on May 27. The last concert of the year was held outdoors in the warm spring air a few days before graduation.

These three years have brought many memories for the seniors and they will not easily forget the many hours of hard work and fun. If seniors remember nothing else they will never forget that what really pays off is "discipline."



Band Roster

Librarians . . . . . Nadine Taylor, Catherine Schowalter
Property Manager . . . . . Fred Disch
Drum Major . . . . . John Reinholz
Drum Majorettes . . . . . Sandra Burnham, Janet Stewart
Karla McKay, Nancy Kind
Student Conductor . . . . . Dan Lancaster

Flute
Sandra Knutson, Lt.
Joyce Ringquist
Sonia Meyers
Gloria Brocker
Mary Bradford
Faye Green
Ellen Pember
Nancy Martin

Clarinet
Dan Lancaster
Nadine Taylor, Lt.
Catherine Schowalter, Sgt.
Wanda Smith
Lois Van Epps
Beverly Barnes
Catherine Plautz
Richard Beck
Ann Kramer
Phyllis Perkins
Grace Macklem
Ken Olson
Sonia Weston
Barbara Cox
Elizabeth Stout
Carol Knudson
Barbara Hornby
Shirley McClaren
Yvonne Wright
Sharon Walmer

Alto Clarinet
Donna Tuck
Mary Jo Ahrens
Nancy Wheeler

Bass Clarinet
Tom Barber
Charlene Ryer

Oboe
Sara Uehling
Penny Nelson

Bassoon
Janice Holmes
Susan Vesper

Alto Sax
Jean Olson, Sgt.
Mary Buckeridge
Jackie Weston
Mary Griffis
George Marsden

Tenor Sax
Edith Lang
Judith Shannon

Baritone Sax
John Reinholz

Cornet
David Palmer, Lt.
Nancy Derhammer
Lorenzo Goodrich, Capt.
James Wescott
Robert Kitto
Robert Amman
Wally Gobel
Keith Edmonds
James Thorpe
Charles Williams
Ed Rau
Ken Edmonds

Marimba
Karen Kernland
Judith Chamberlin

French Horn
Rolf Mjaanes, Lt.
Judy Schnaitter
Nancy O'Brien
Joan Guenther
Judy Rampenthal
Dan Lee
Emma Khalar

Trombone
Dick Howson, Cpl.
Bill Yagla
David Ayres
Bud Everill
Tom Rhodes
Gene Larkin
Keith Ingham

Baritone
John Wilhelm, Cpl.
Tex Ramquist
Robert Molldrem
Jack Holmes

Bass
Marcus Franda
Richard Smested, Cpl.
Charles Johnson
Gerald Upward
Dean Mahlum

Percussion
Constance Hinderliter
Robert Bellard
Kenneth Anderson
Robert Poletin
Roger Larkin

Bells
Martha Morgan

ORCHESTRA

First Violin
Josephine Burgdorff
Ann Wiley
Carola Swanson
Winifred Gordon
Elsie Zirwes
Nancy O'Brien

Second Violin
Kathleen Sorenson
Alice McGinnis
Deanne Chialda
Sandra Zahn

Tympani
Connie Hinderliter

Viola
Mary Hiser
Tom Barber

Cello
John Sweet
Sandra Lightfoot

Bass
Lee Stephens

Flute
Sandra Knutson
Joyce Ringquist

Clarinet
Nadine Taylor
Lois Van Epps

Oboe
Sara Uehling
Penny Nelson

Bassoon
Janice Holmes
Susan Vesper

Bass Clarinet
Charlene Ryer

Cornet
Nancy Derhammer
Jim Wescott

French Horn
Rolf Mjaanes
Judy Schnaitter

Trombone
Richard Howson
Bill Yagla
Bud Everill

Tuba
Richard Smestad

The string section of the orchestra met five days a week during the year. The time was divided into two days of string rehearsal, one day of harmonics, and two days of individual practice per week. In April brass and woodwinds joined the strings for full orchestra rehearsals in preparation for the May 10 concert.

The orchestra's program on the Spring Choir and Orchestra Concert was:

Silvana Overture—von Weber
Suite for Strings—Arthur Frackenpohl
Song of Jupiter—G. F. Handel
Jesu, Joy's of Man's Desiring—
Johann S. Bach
Horse and Buggy—Leroy Anderson
G-minor Symphony—W. A. Mozart

VARSITY CHOIR

ROW 1—D. Chayer, P. Hendricks, S. Johnson, G. Reedy, B. Knutson, P. Oberbruner, K. Emilson, J. Reedy, P. Thornton, B. Bunnell. ROW 2—J. McGrath, J. Wilson, J. Burnham, J. Ringquist, C. Johnson, R. Holliday, E. Gibeant, L. Bell, M. Tamblingson, E. Cushman, B. Williams, N. Udell, R. Creedy, J. Johns. ROW 3—J. Daniels, F. McQuade, B. Baldwin, M. Babcock, M. Richter, H. B. Payne, L. Everson, C. Stark, N. Harrington, W. Strong, P. Johnson, M. McCord, D. Oliver, V. Phetteplace, R. Miller, C. Tinder, B. Burn, B. Oberbruner.

As the year draws to an end the members of the varsity choir can look back on a year of much progress. In the fall the choir started out hardly able to get through a simple song and developed into a group that memorized two operettas and produced them both in the same evening.

At Christmastime a concert of seasonal music was given in cooperation with the two junior high schools. The choir's presentation of the two operettas—"Down in the Valley" and "Trial by Jury"—received much acclaim. This was the third annual operetta program given by the choir.

In May a spring concert was presented by the varsity choir. Most of the members participated in the yearly music department contest on May 27.

GIRLS' CHORUS

ROW 1—J. Donaldson, B. Nytes, C. Davis, M. Hurley, C. Jacobson, B. Creedy, M. Wilson, G. Ridihalgh, C. Timm. ROW 2—D. Corbit, J. Black, M. Quigley, T. Vitakis, R. Parker, G. Johnson, N. Churchill, F. Richter, C. Amrine, P. Fisher, S. Mountain, D. Clarke.

DANCE BAND

ROW 1—Tenor sexophone, J. Reinholz; Alto saxophone, M. Buckeridge; Alto saxophone, E. Lang; Baritone saxophone, R. Beck. ROW 2—Cornet: 2nd chair, J. Wescott; lead, D. Palmer; 3rd chair, R. Kitto; Thombone, T. Rhodes; Trombone, R. Howsor. ROW 2—Drums, R. Bellard; Poano, S. Knutson; Vocalist, D. Chayer, Front man, L. Goodrich.

OPERETTAS

On March 17 and 18 the vocal groups presented two operettas. The casts of the operettas were as follows:

Down in the Valley

Jenny Parsons	Donna Chayer
Brack Weaver	Douglas Kever
The Leader	Jack Daniels
The Preacher	Fred McQuade
Jenny's father	Richard Oliver
The Guard	Peter Johnson
Peters	Ronald Miller
Two Women	Clarice Johnson Estella Cushman
A Man	Jerry Johns

Trial By Jury

Angelina	Joyce Ringquist
Edwin	Douglas Kever
The Judge	Fred McQuade
Council for Angelina	Roger Creedy
Foreman for the Jury	Jerry Johns
The Usher	Peter Johnson

OPERETTA PERSONNEL

Annette Wiley
Christine Jacobson
Bruce Fowler
Bonnie Campbell
Carol Druetzler
Betty Willever
Damaris Walsh
David Palmer
William House
Sally Mountain
Mary Jo Ahrens
Sandra Burnham
Geraldine Scodwell
Judy Black
Donna Tuck
Barbara Creedy
Carolyn Davis
Judy Donaldson
Cynda Beth Amrine
Barbara Nytes
Frieda Richter
Marilyn Wilson
Ruth Parker
Eugene Lee
Tom Lee
Larry Bell
Larry Everson
Roger Holliday
James McGrath
Robt. Oberbruner
Gerald Wilson
Elsa Andresen
Milton Babcock

Donna Chayer
Roger Creedy
Jack Daniels
Karen Emilson
Doris Francis
Edward Gibeaut
Edward Harrington
Sonja Johnson
Sonia Meyers
Ronald Miller
Gwendolyn Reedy
Walter Strong
Merlyn Tamblingson
Naomi Udell
Barbara D. Williams
Betty Baldwin
Barbara Bunnell
Jacqueline Burnham
Estella Cushman
Patricia Hendricks
Clarice Johnson
Barbara Knutson
Marvin McCord
Peggy Oberbruner
Richard Oliver
Hall Payne
Virgil Phetteplace
Janet Reedy
Margaret Richter
Charles Stark
Patricia Thornton
Carol Tinder
William Burn

EXHIBITS

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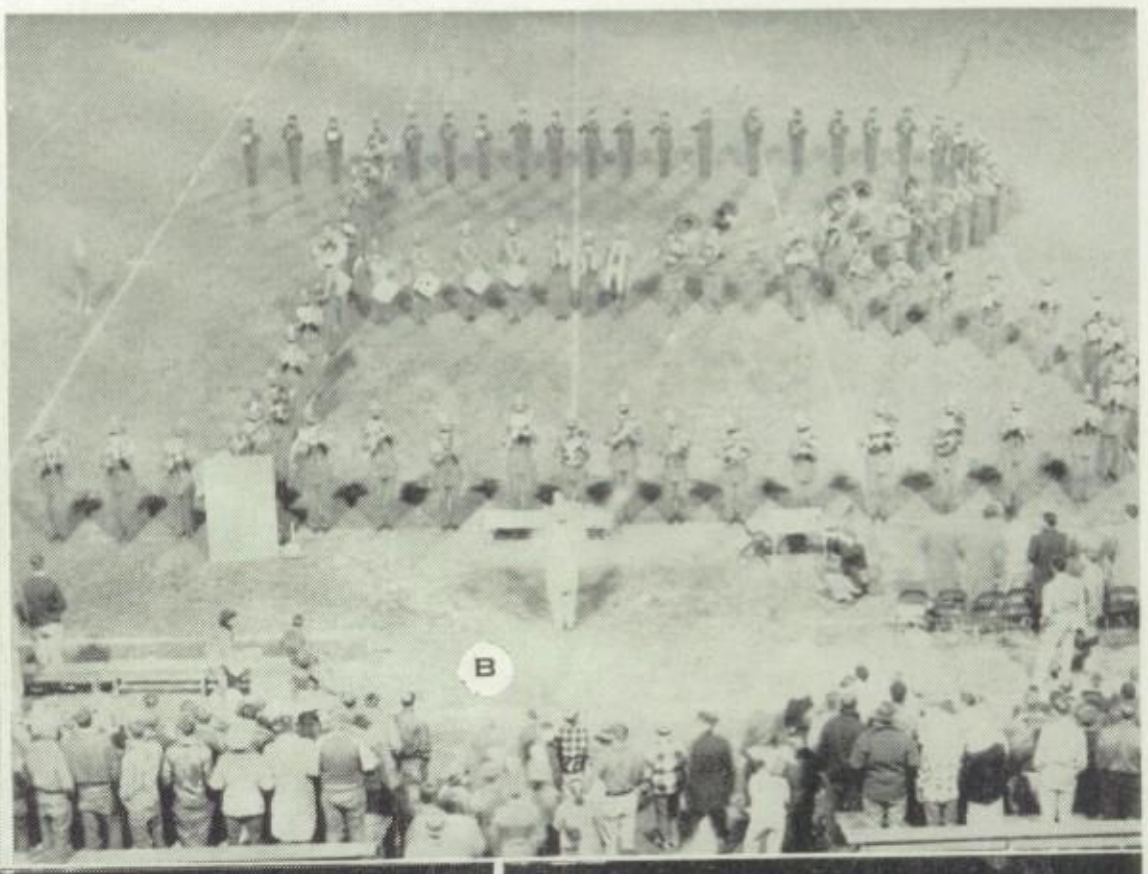
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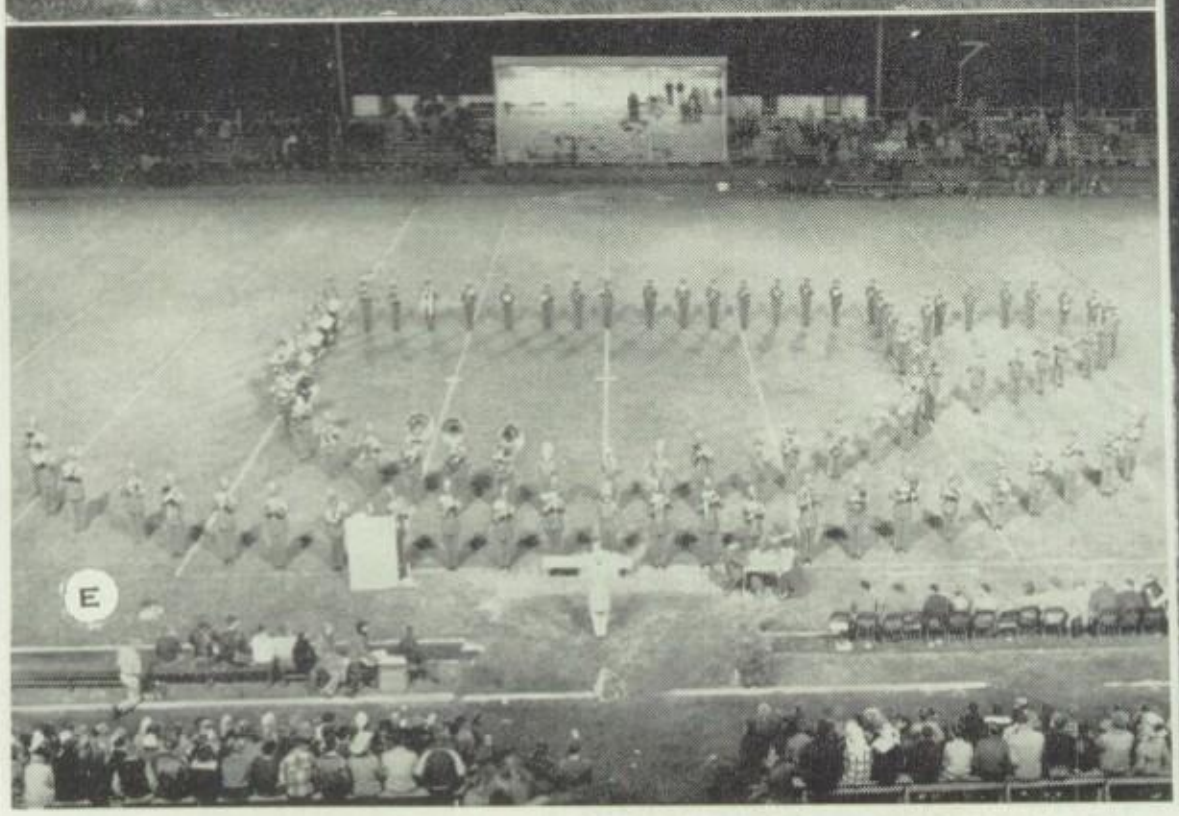
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A—"What! everybody in step?"

B—"Traditional salute to Beloit high"

C—Basses and Belles

D—"There goes Ewing!"

E—Cup and Saucer formation—Dad's Night

F—"Johann Reinstrauss"

G—Band officers
seated; R. Howson, C. Schowalter, L. Goodrich, N. Taylor, and J. Wilhelm. standing; F. Disch, D. Palmer, R. Mjaanes, and R. Smestad. not pictured; S. Knutson and J. Olson.

H—"Blow 'Em Over"—band float

I—Mixed Clarinet Quartet

J—Four days 'til Chicago—saxophone quartet

K—"Man with a Horn"

L—Merle Evans directing at the Circus Night Concert

M—The popular dance band—bird's eye view

N—"Sincerely"

HALT!
CATHY SCHOWALTER

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SGT. B. CONE

SGT. M. MEININGER

CADET

STAFF

MAJOR D. PALMER
Batt. Exec. Officer

LT. COL. E. GARBE
Batt. Commander

CAPTAIN C. McCLURE
Batt. Adjutant

COMPANY OFFICERS

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COMPANY B—(left to right) Captain Roy Ramsing, Lieutenant Bruce Fowler, Lieutenant Gerald Ames, Lieutenant Roger Blohm, Ist Sergeant Thomas Beischel.

COMPANY C—(left to right) Captain Ernest Kimmel, Lieutenant Jack Hill, Lieutenant George Green, 1st Sergeant Raymond Hurley.

COMPANY A

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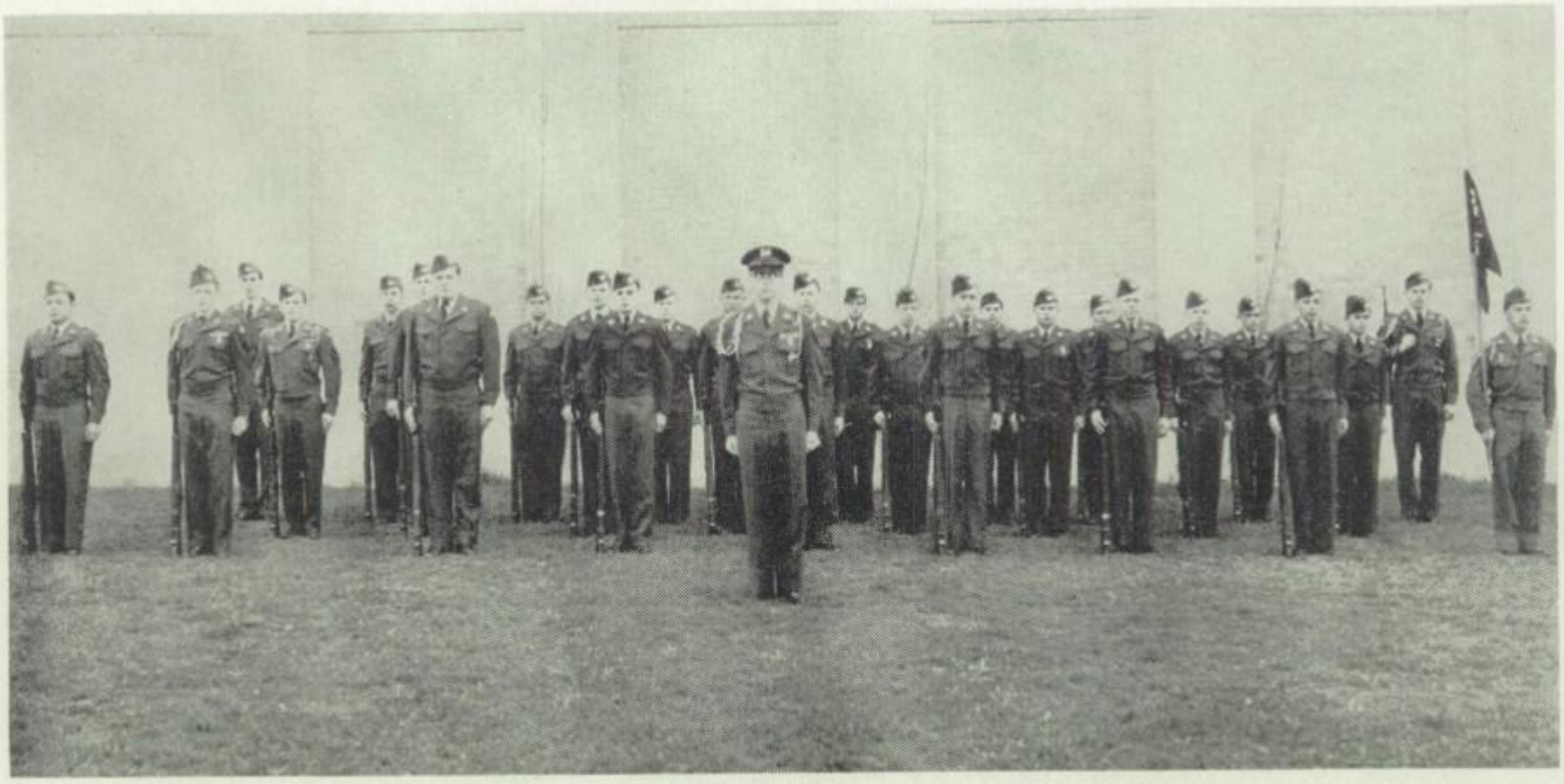

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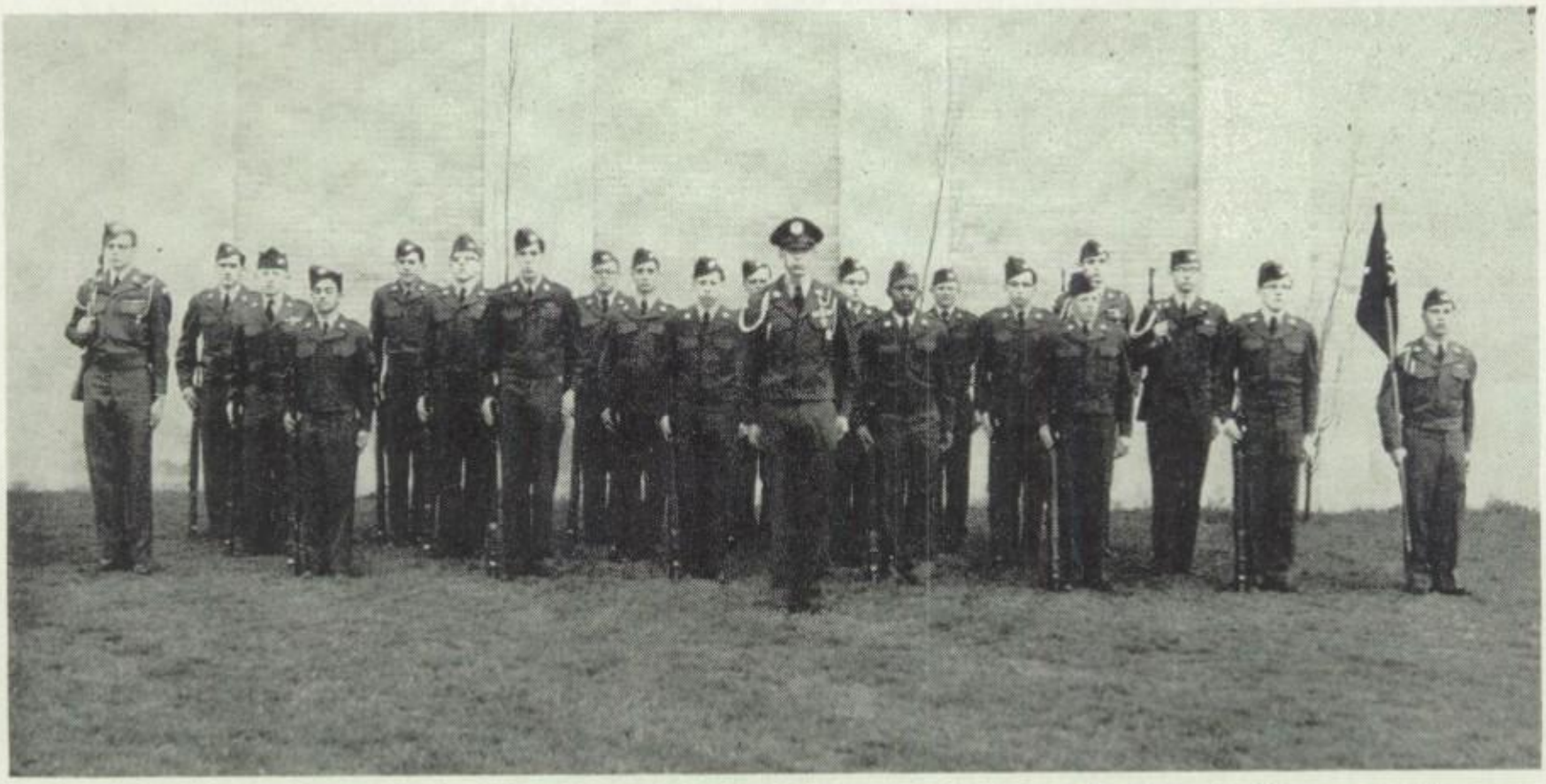

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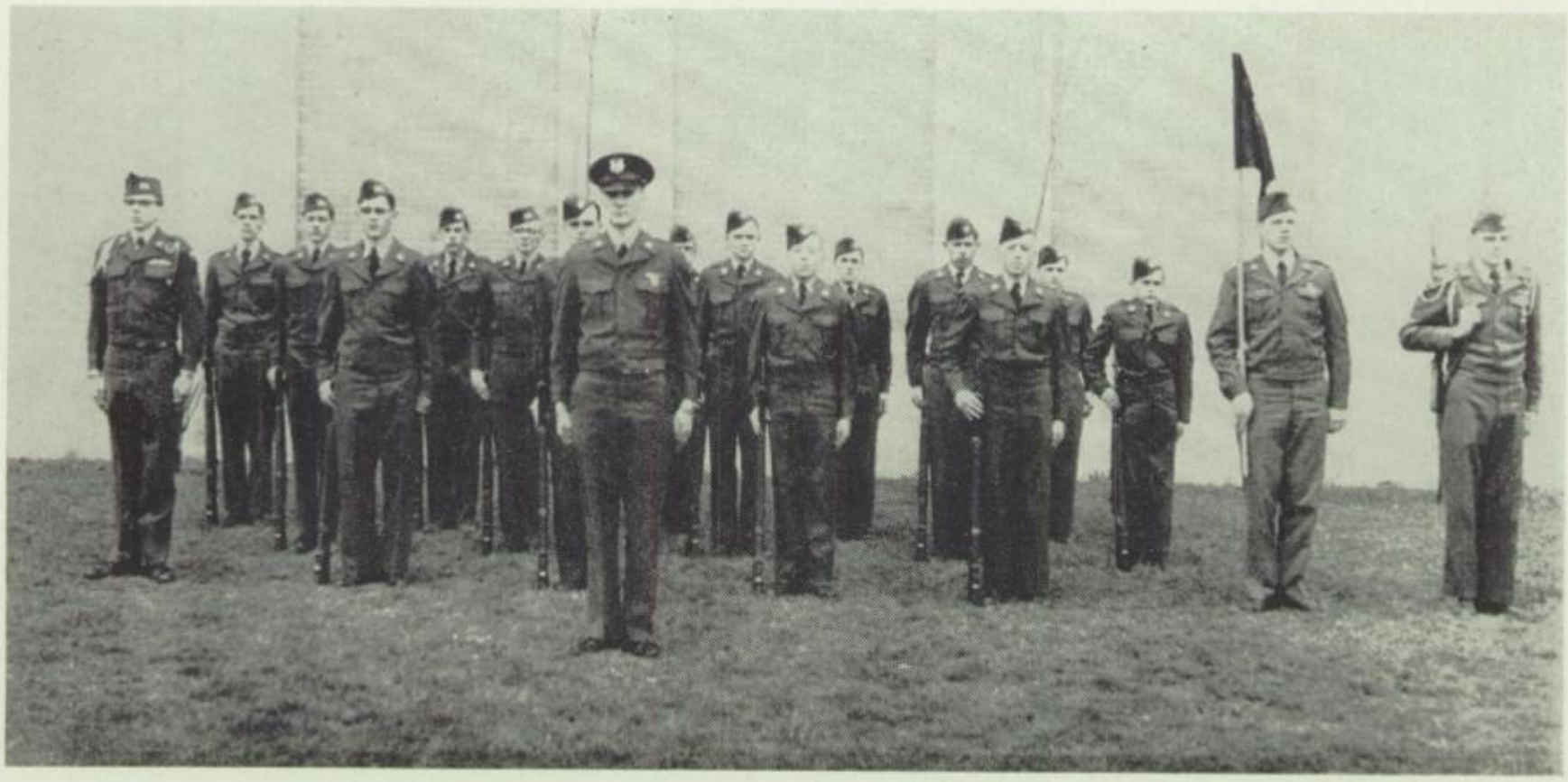

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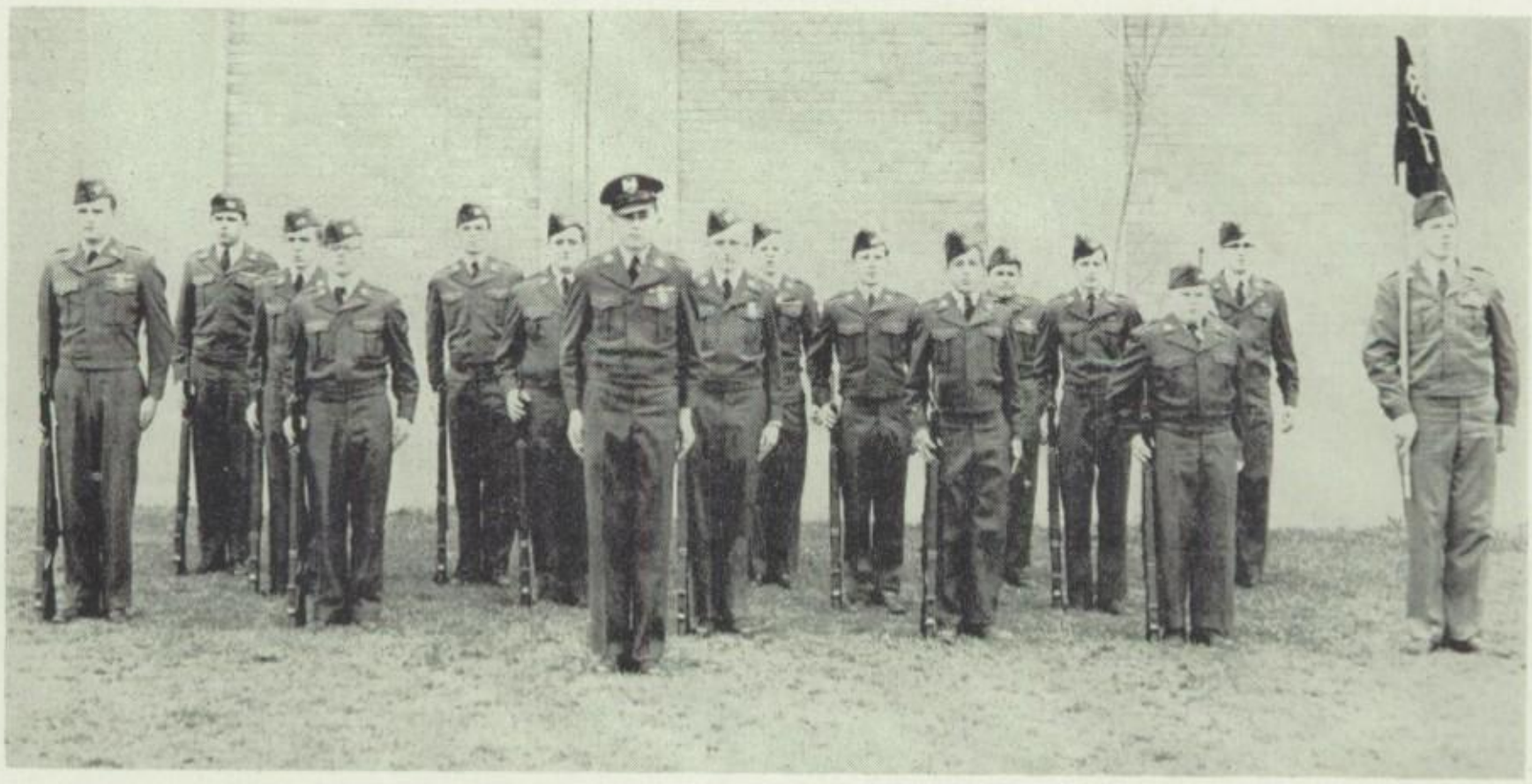

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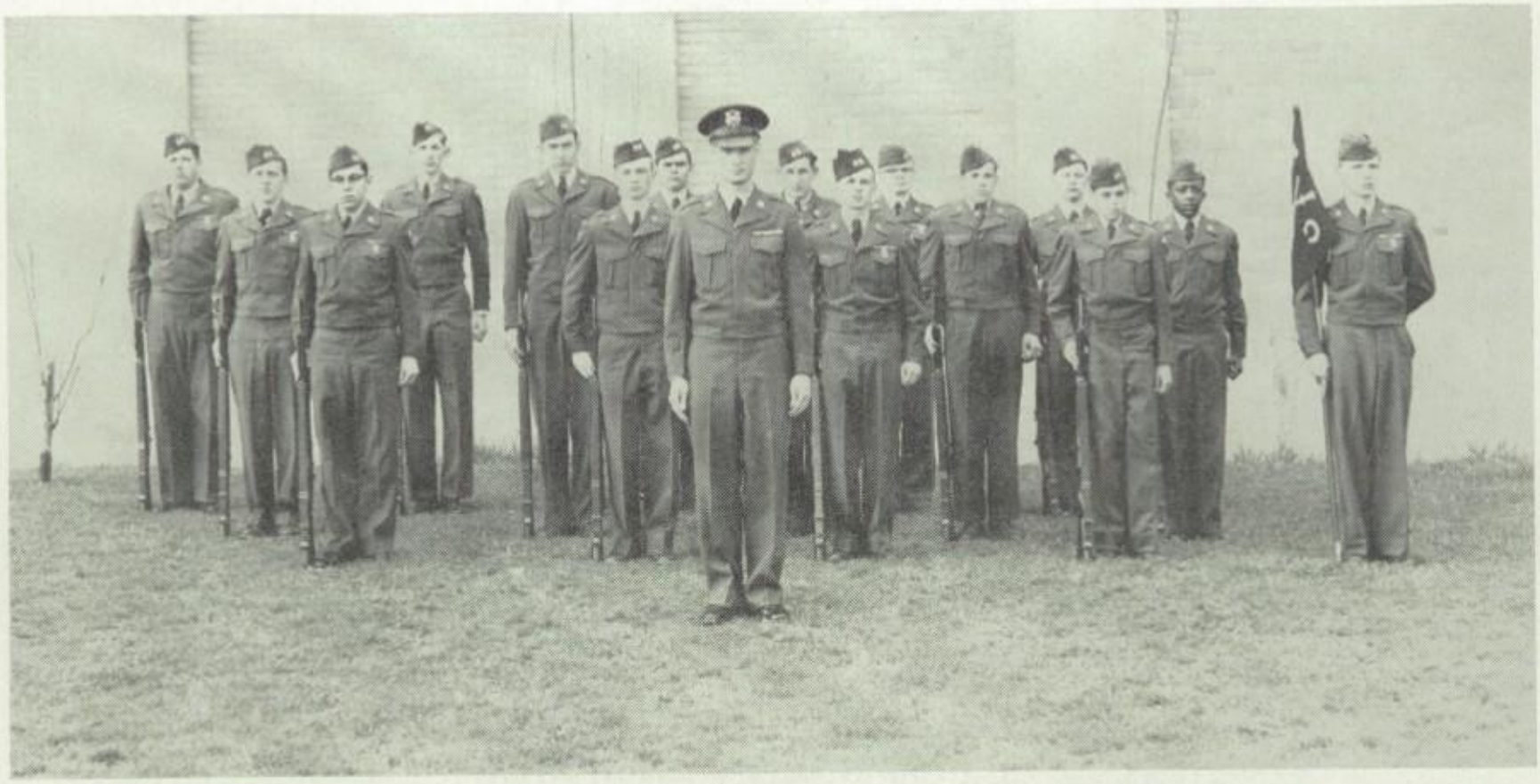

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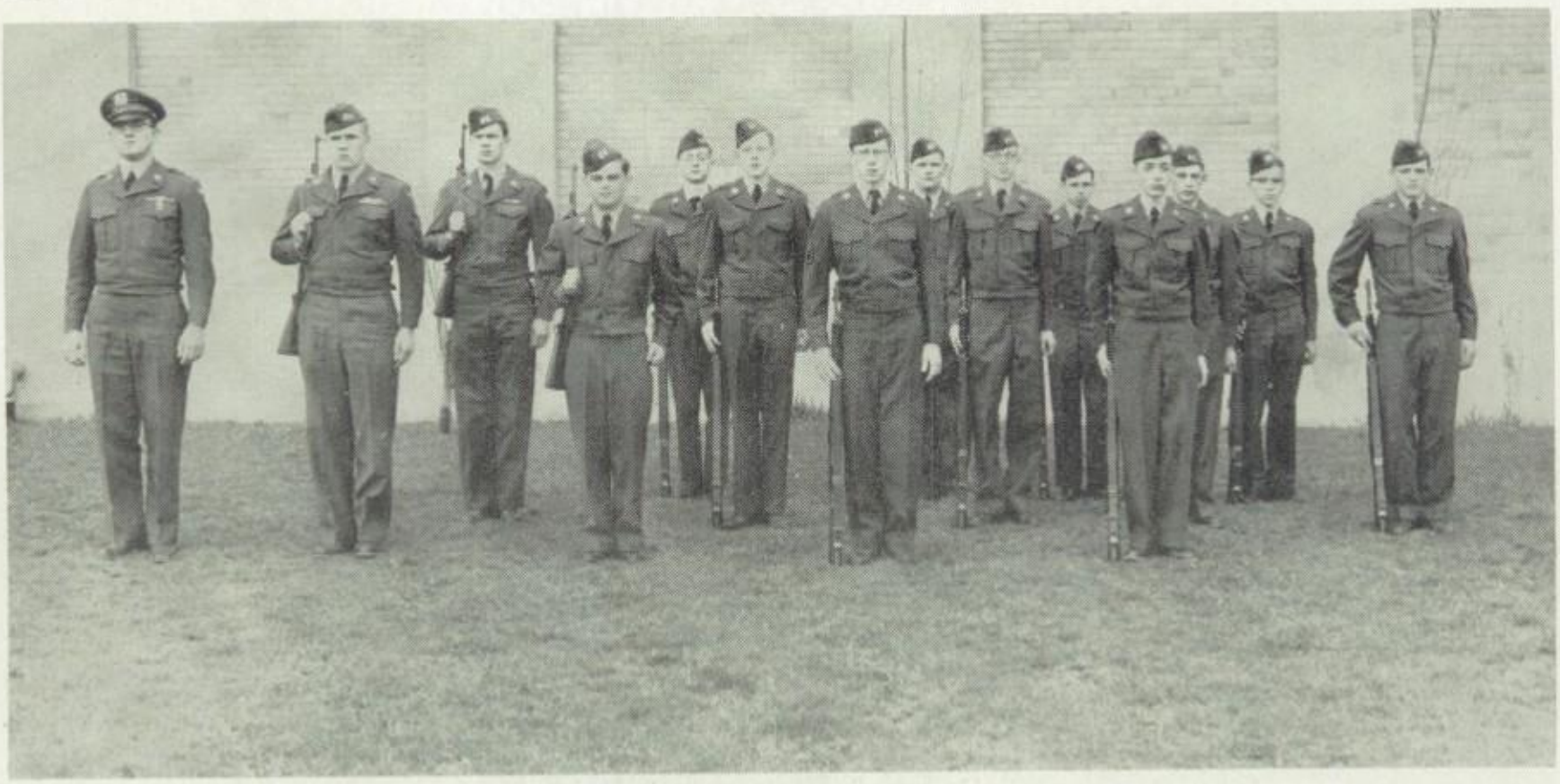

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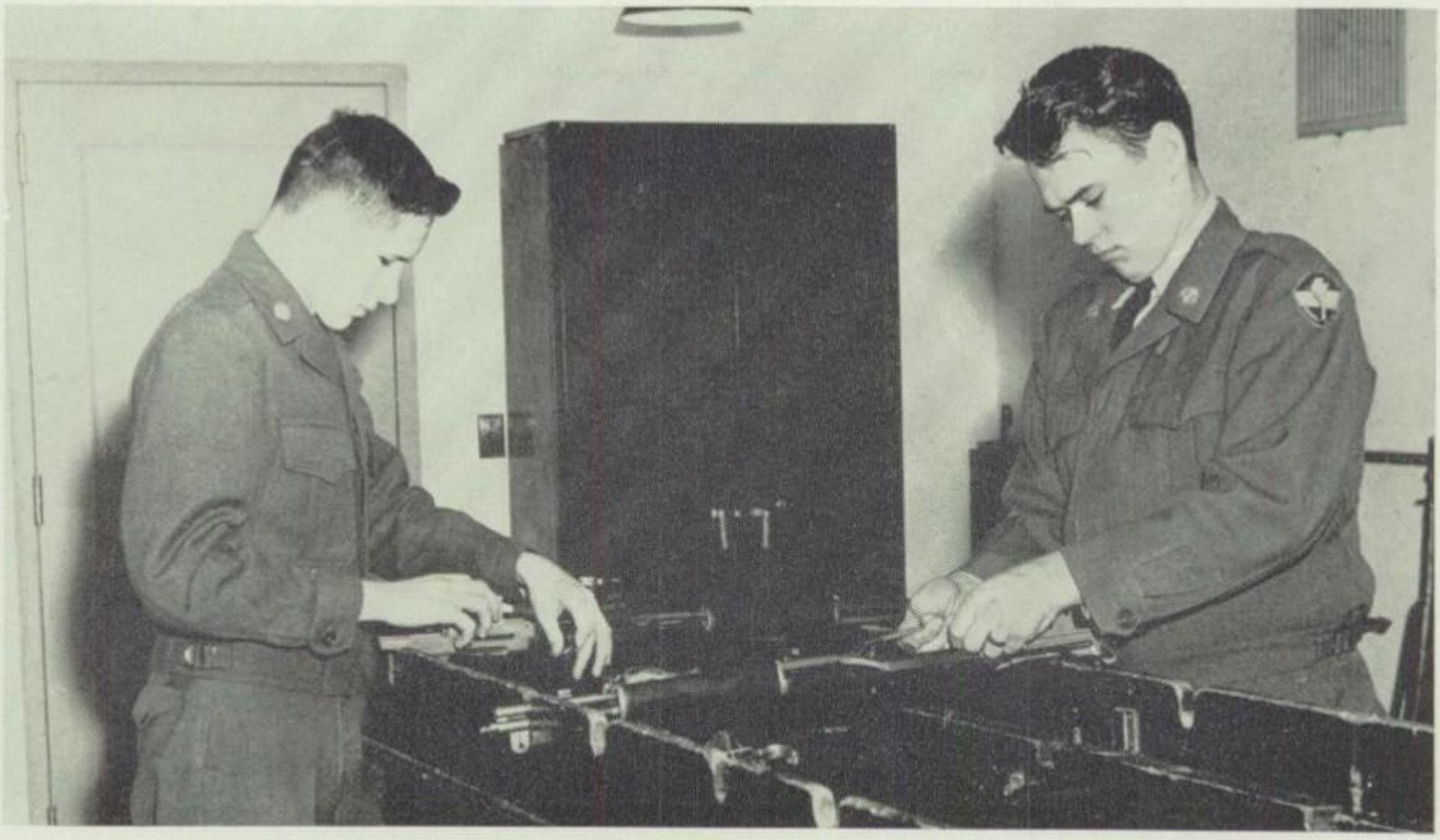
CADETS IN ACTION



Here two of the sophomore cadets give their M1 rifles a thorough cleaning prior to one of the year's inspections. The cadets shown are C. Gonfiantini, on the right and P. Richardson on the left.

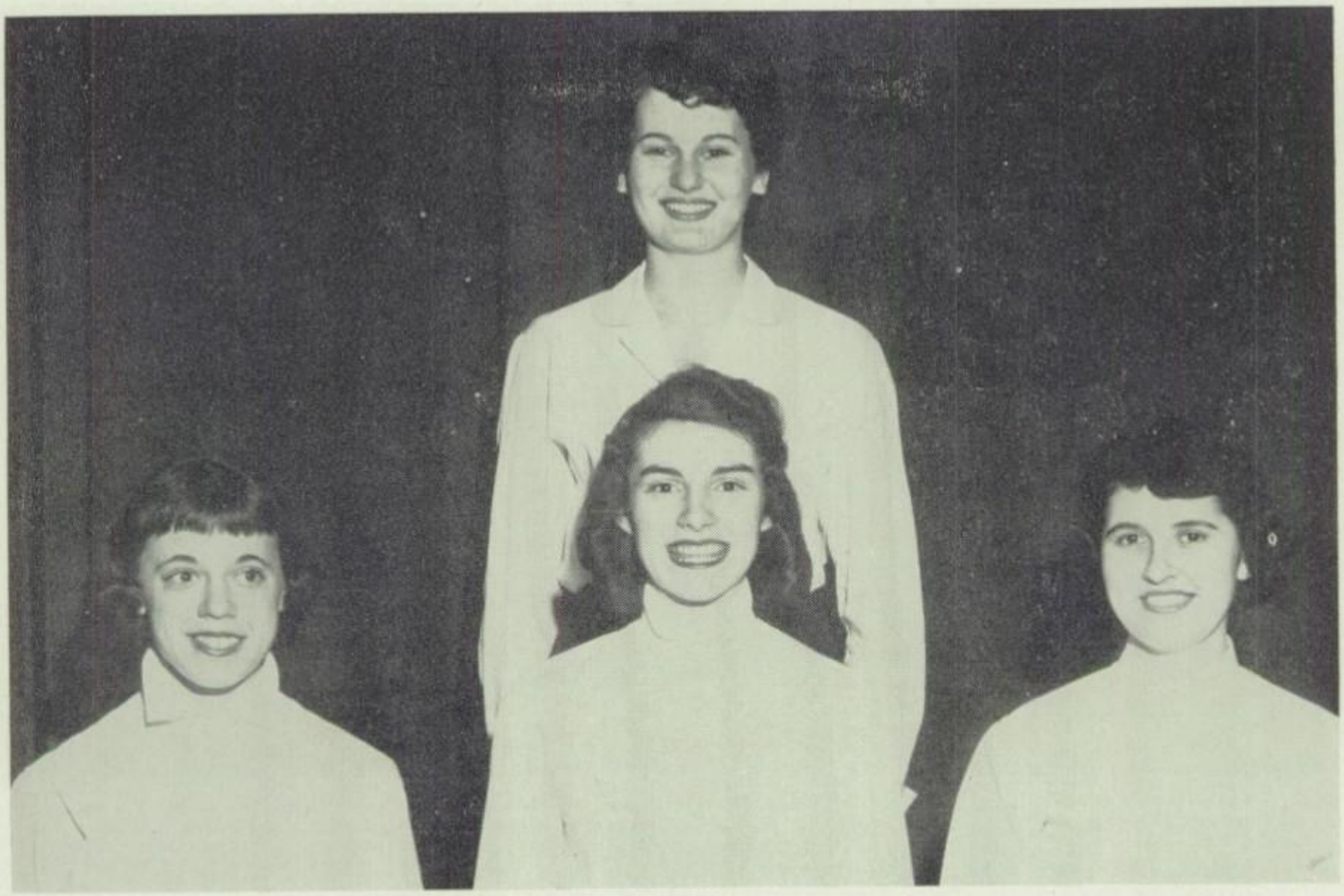
Two of members of the rifle team are getting in some practice on the ROTC's excellent small bore rifle range. Cadet Jack Hill is in the foreground.

INSPECTIONS

Here Capt. Van Atten is inspecting the M1 rifle of one of the cadets during one of the year's regular six inspections. Cadet R. Ramsing prepares to record the inspection grade of Cadet D. Ayres.

Sergeant Kiper conducts the personal inspection of the cadets. He is shown here checking the grooming of Cadet N. Niles.

SPONSORS & SILVER SABRES



This year the ROTC sponsors are Katheryn Hauger, Batt. Sponsor, (top) and Company Sponsors Jo Polaski, Dena McCauley, and Mary Ann Wright (left to right).

The Silver Sabres are the commissioned officers of the ROTC. They are (left to right)—Row 1—V. Phetteplace, C. McClure, E. Garbe, D. Palmer, R. Ramsing. Row 2—B. Fowler, D. Herman, C. Cherry. Row 3—J. Hill, C. Stark, R. Blohm, G. Green.

McNEEL RIFLES

(Left to right) FIRST ROW—C. McClure, N. Niles, N. Harrington, D. Herman, J. Johns, P. Richardson, M. Tamblingson. SECOND ROW—G. Williams, C. Sweeney, E. Kimmell, C. Cherry, W. Swinconis, R. Hurley, G. Raunam, V. Lantz.

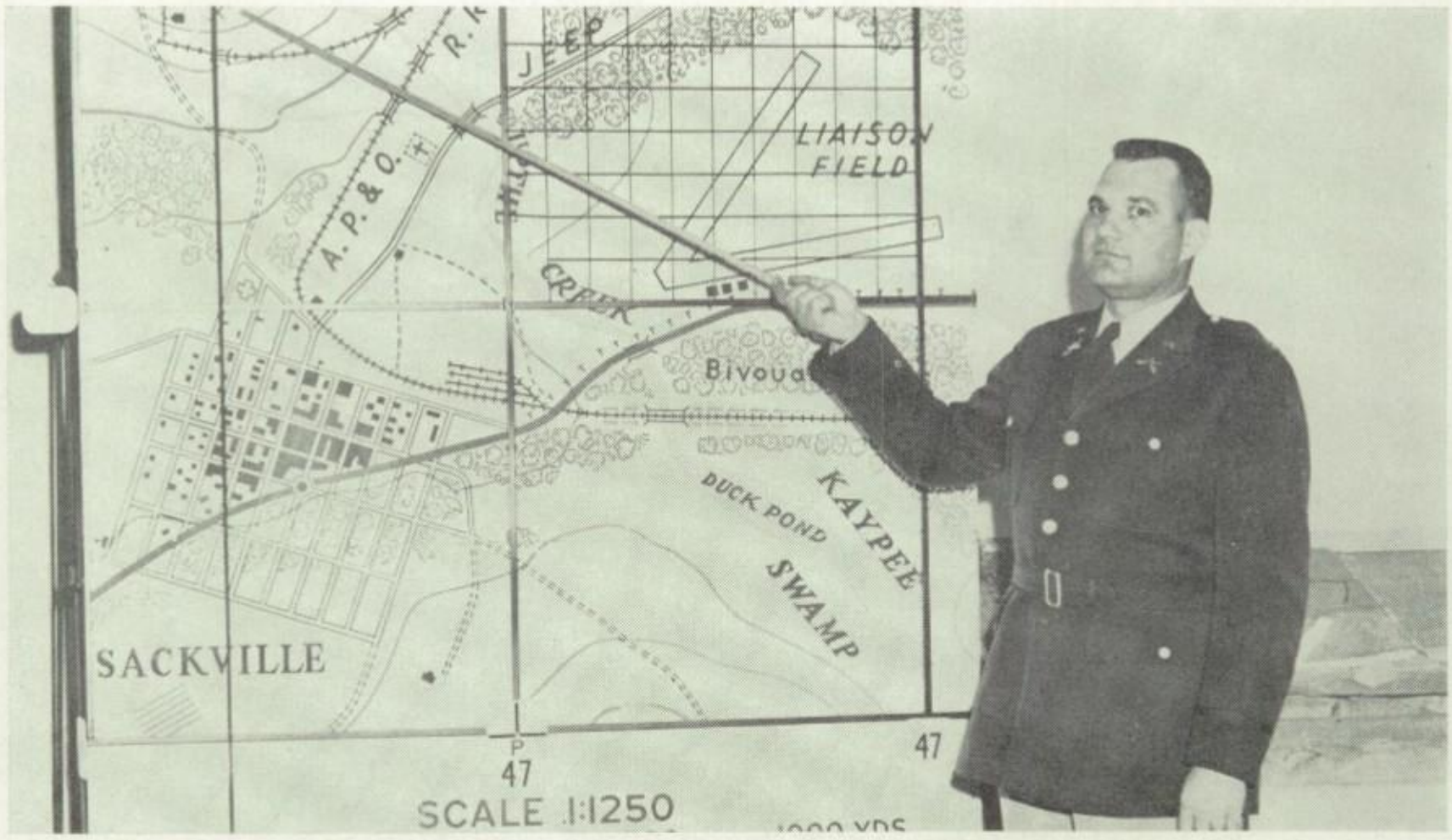
The McNeel Rifles are shown here putting on a show of precision drill for the 1955 edition of the ROTC Military Ball.

CHANGE OF COMMAND

In the middle of this year Capt. William Van Atten succeeded Capt. Henry Peterson as Professor of Military Science and Tactics. Here Capt. Peterson introduces Capt. Van Atten to Cadets Charles McClure and Ernest Kimmel.

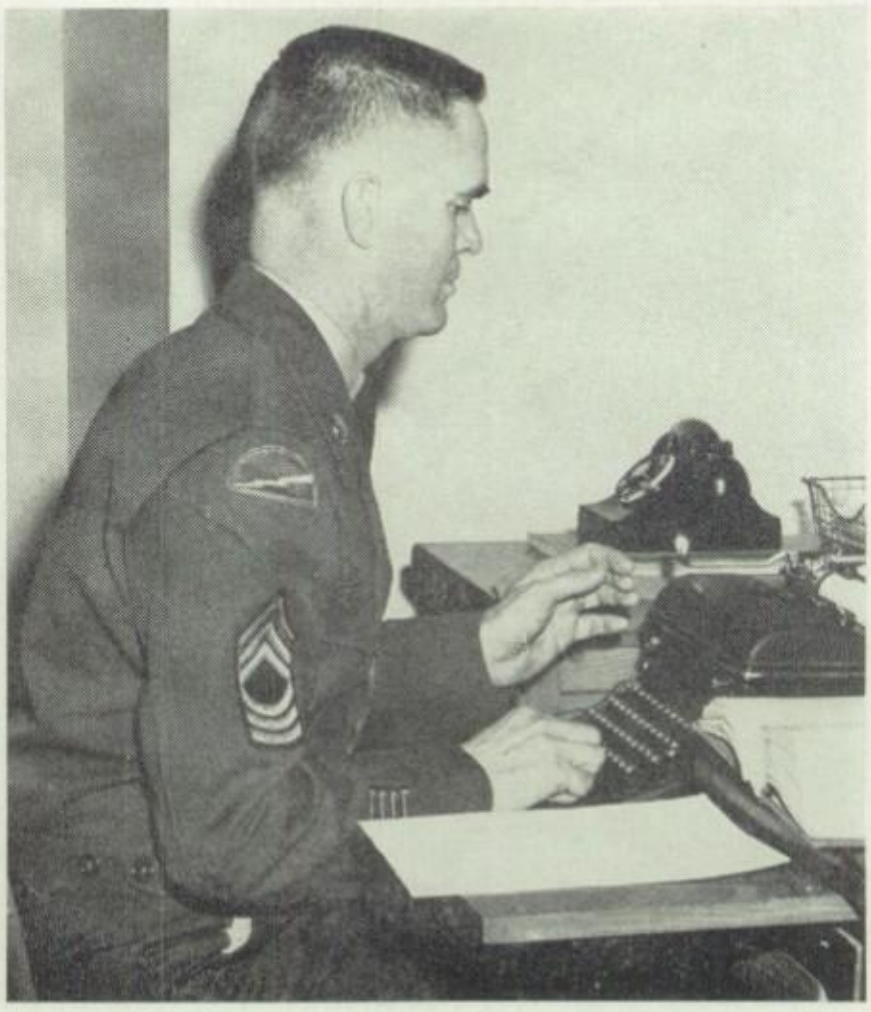
Here Capt. Peterson is acquainting Capt. Van Atten with some of the equipment of the Beloit ROTC unit. They are looking at one of the unit's U.S. Carbines, a part of the unit's excellent armament.

INSTRUCTORS AT WORK



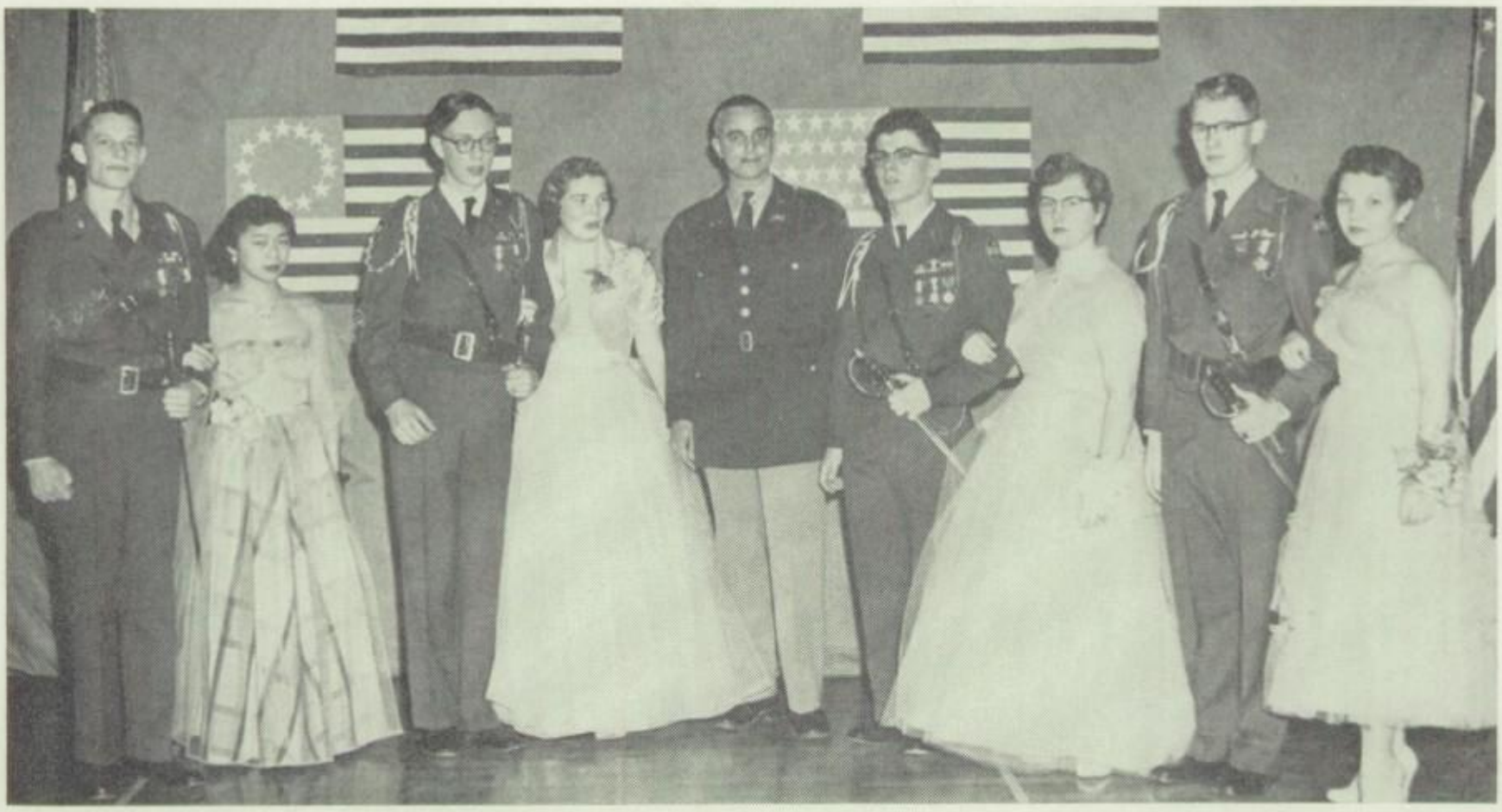
Capt. Peterson is shown conducting a class in map reading. This is part of the course given cadets in their junior and senior years.

Capt. Van Atten is shown getting ready to show a movie on the ROTC's new projector.



Sergeant Kiper's duties include the handling of correspondence and the filling out of records.

MILITARY BALL



The award winning cadets in this picture are—(left to right) Major D. Palmer, Capt. E. Kimmel, Capt. C. McClure, and Lt. Colonel E. Garbe.

The Beloit Memorial High School R.O.T.C. battalion presented its thirtieth annual Military Ball on the evening of February 5, 1955. The music was furnished by Bill Engberg and his band.

The theme of this year's ball was, "The Stars and Stripes." The high school gym was beautifully decorated with a red, white, and blue crepe paper canopy while colorful stars glittered amongst the dancing couples.

The chaperones for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. James Barron, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McCauley, Mr. and Mrs. H. Martin, Miss Orpha Thompson, and Mrs. Jessie D. Wright.

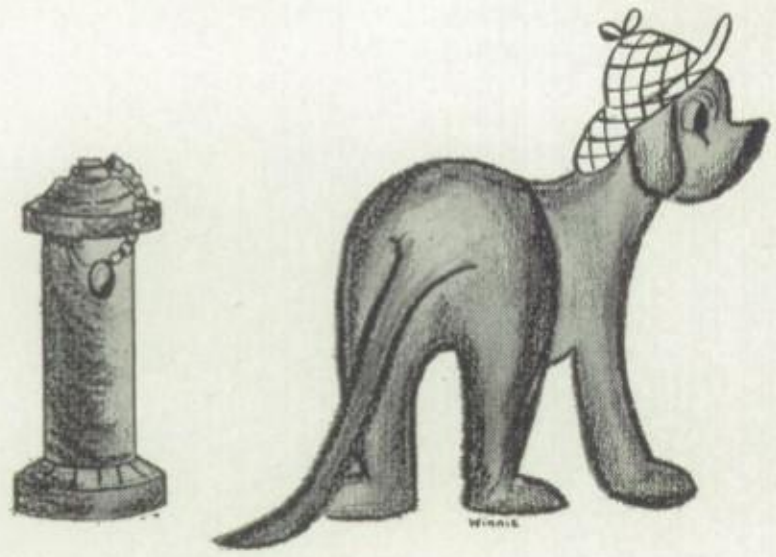
The highlights of the evening were the cutting of a giant cake, the grand march, a beautiful show of precision drill by the McNeel Rifle drill team, and the presentation of awards and promotions.

The Chicago Tribune gold medal award was presented to Captain Charles McClure while the silver award went to Captain Ernest Kimmel.

It can easily be said that this was one of the best military balls ever to be put on by the Beloit R.O.T.C. battalion. The R.O.T.C. offers its thanks to all of those persons who helped make this year's ball the glittering success it was.

This is the Grand March, a feature at every year's Military Ball.

TIME OUT...



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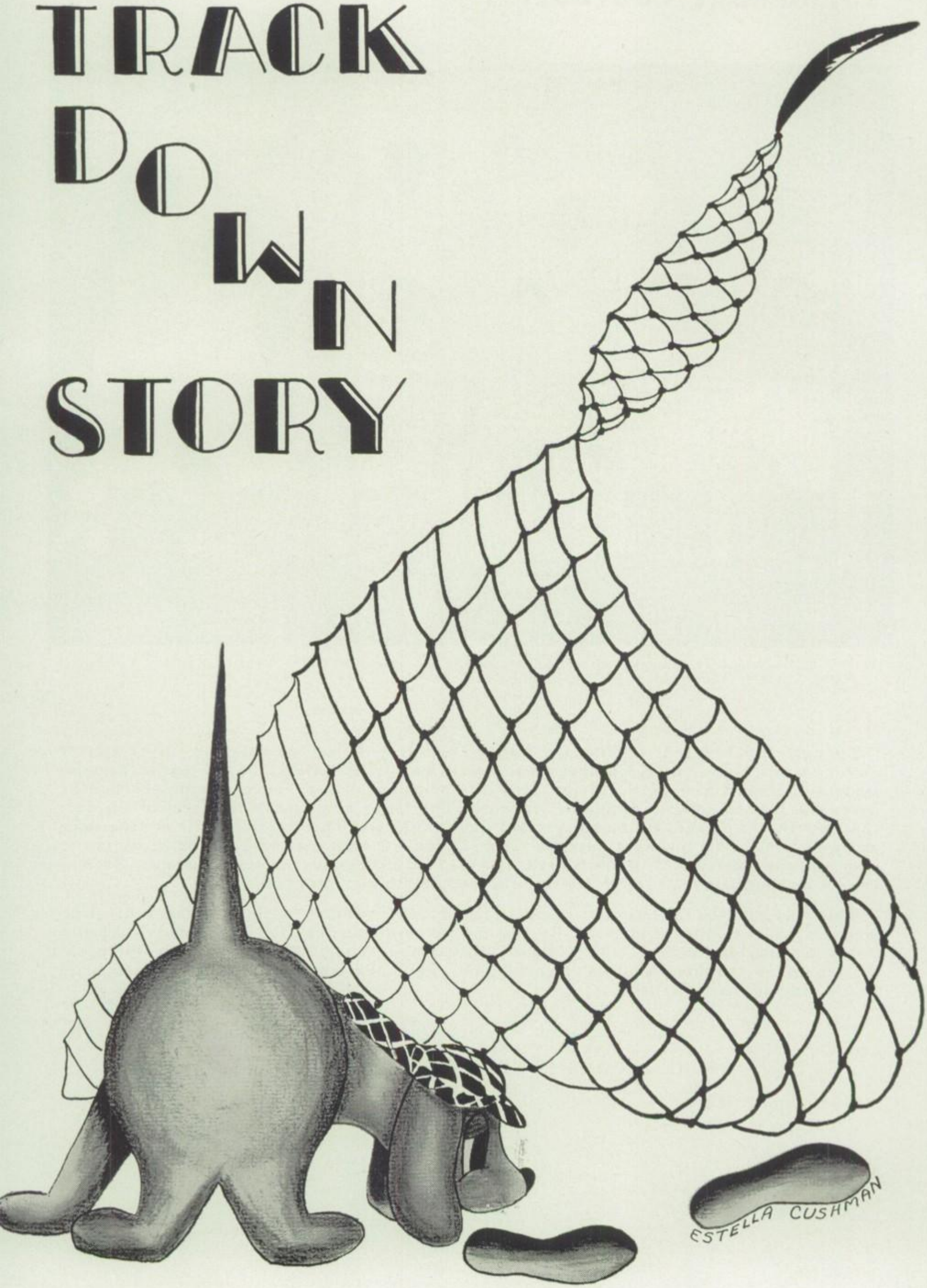


SOPHOMORE FOOTBALL

ROW 1—R. Oberbrunner, E. Gunz, F. Ford, M. Koons, J. Saunders, C. Smith. ROW 2—J. McGrath, R. Hamil, F. Peterson, D. Mackey, J. Ocker, P. Johnson, R. Willard. ROW 3—Coach Barkin, C. Lamb, J. Marsh, J. Payne, K. Scoville, Coach Melvin.

Though unpublicized, Sophomore football is one of the key periods of a future varsity man's career. Here, under Coaches Roy Melvin and Bernard Barkin, a boy learns the basic system of Head Coach Ken Currier: How the plays are called, his job at the position he plays and how to condition himself via work. The latter helps make into reality the fact that few Beloit players are on the ground due to injuries. The practice drills are the same as varsity ball. This makes it possible for a sophomore with the needed qualifications to step into the varsity or J. V. with little, if any, readjustment or new assignments. Such is the set-up that helps put congruity into the Purple athletic program.

This year saw the initiation of numeral awards to sophomores. The winners of them were: Michael Coons, Fred Ford, Earl Gunz, Richard Hammil, Donald Holmbeck, Phillip Johnson, Charles Lamb, Herbert Mahan, John Marsh, Thomas McCarthy, Bob Oberbruner, Jan Ocker, Anthony Padilla, Jacob Payne, Felix Peterson, Ken Schoville, Charles Smith, and Richard Willard.

FINAL SCORES IN SOPHOMORE FOOTBALL 1954

Beloit	6	Rockford East	20
Beloit	6	Racine Park	0
Beloit	6	Racine Horlick	19
Beloit	6	Kenosha	27
Beloit	0	Janesville	14

JUNIOR VARSITY

ROW 1—H. Payne, L. Pohlman, C. Seifert, D. Ensley, R. Beck, W. Tefft, W. House. ROW 2—W. Laird, R. McCauley, J. Massen, D. Mackey, A. Little, R. Clayton, J. Padilla. ROW 3—R. Gasrude, R. Parmer, W. Strong, W. Stuht, L. Grady, T. Meyers.

Primarily for the junior football candidates, the junior varsity squad has, more often than not, a number of sophomores and seniors playing on it. They are the "hot shots" of the Melvin-Barkin crew and varsity men who did not play in their previous game. These games are usually played Saturday morning with the scores being unimportant. The chief purpose of them is as a proving ground. There is no pressure exerted by crowds or coaches. Fundamentals are what count. Thus the main job of this unit is to prepare a player for varsity ball in which there is the pressure of crowds and victories are important.

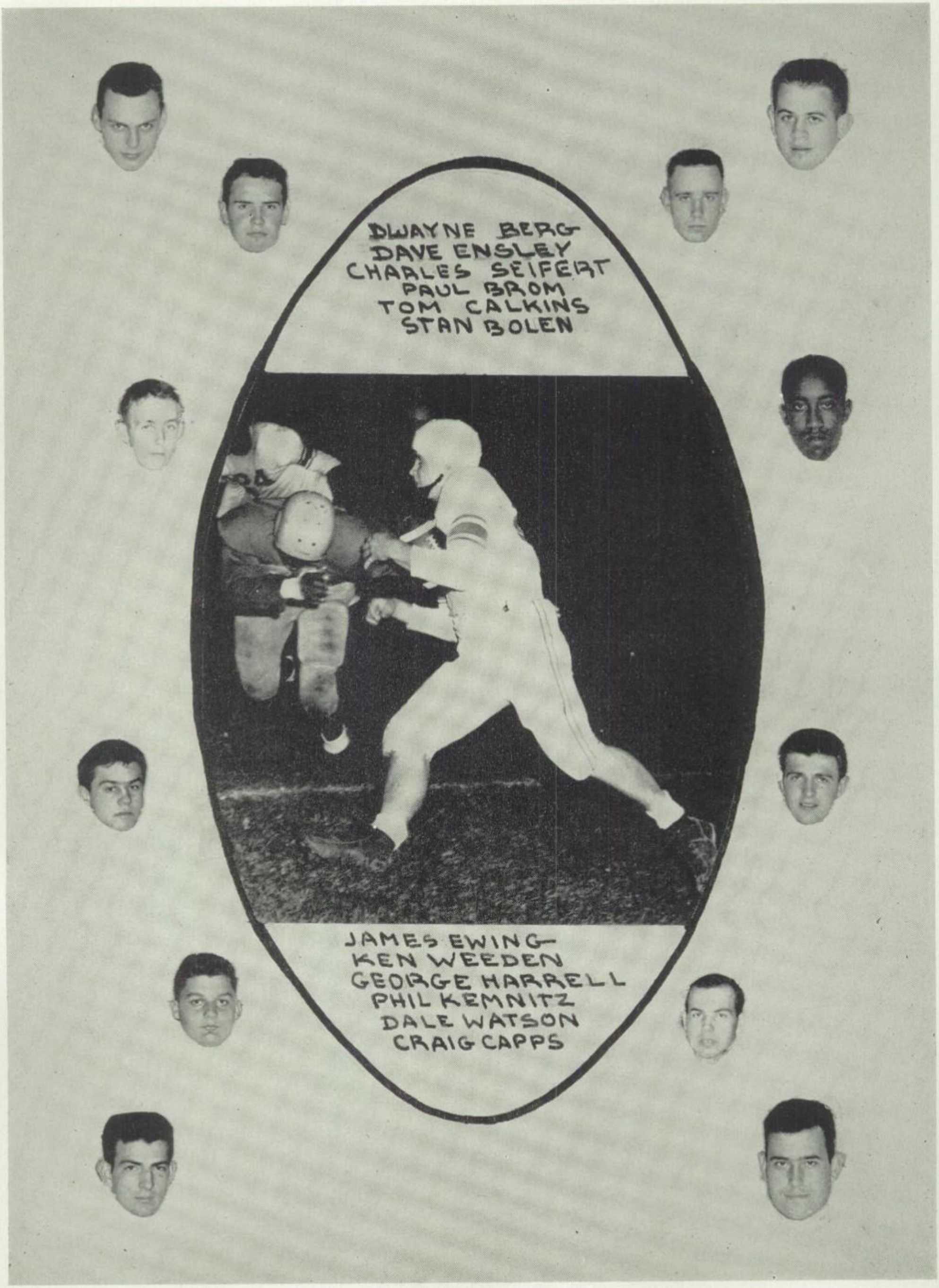
This years team played five games winning four, including a 50-0 swamping.

The men who have the big job keeping their various personnel straight are Clifford Hertenstein and Roy Haglund, J. V. coaches. Few are the players who have not come under their supervision after three years as a Purple grider.

The winners of the minor letters were: Dick Beck, Ron Clayton, Leonard Grady, Bill House, Allen Little, Don Mackey, John Massen, Bob McCawley, Tim Meyer, Hall Payne, Larry Pohlman, Walter Strong, Wayne Stuht, and Bill Tefft. The managers were Garry Johnson, Donovan Murphy and Dave Sorenson.

JUNIOR VARSITY RECORD 1954

Beloit	19	Rockford East	18
Beloit	20	Rockford West	7
Beloit	13	Freeport	6
Beloit	6	Rockford East	13
Beloit	50	Rockford East	0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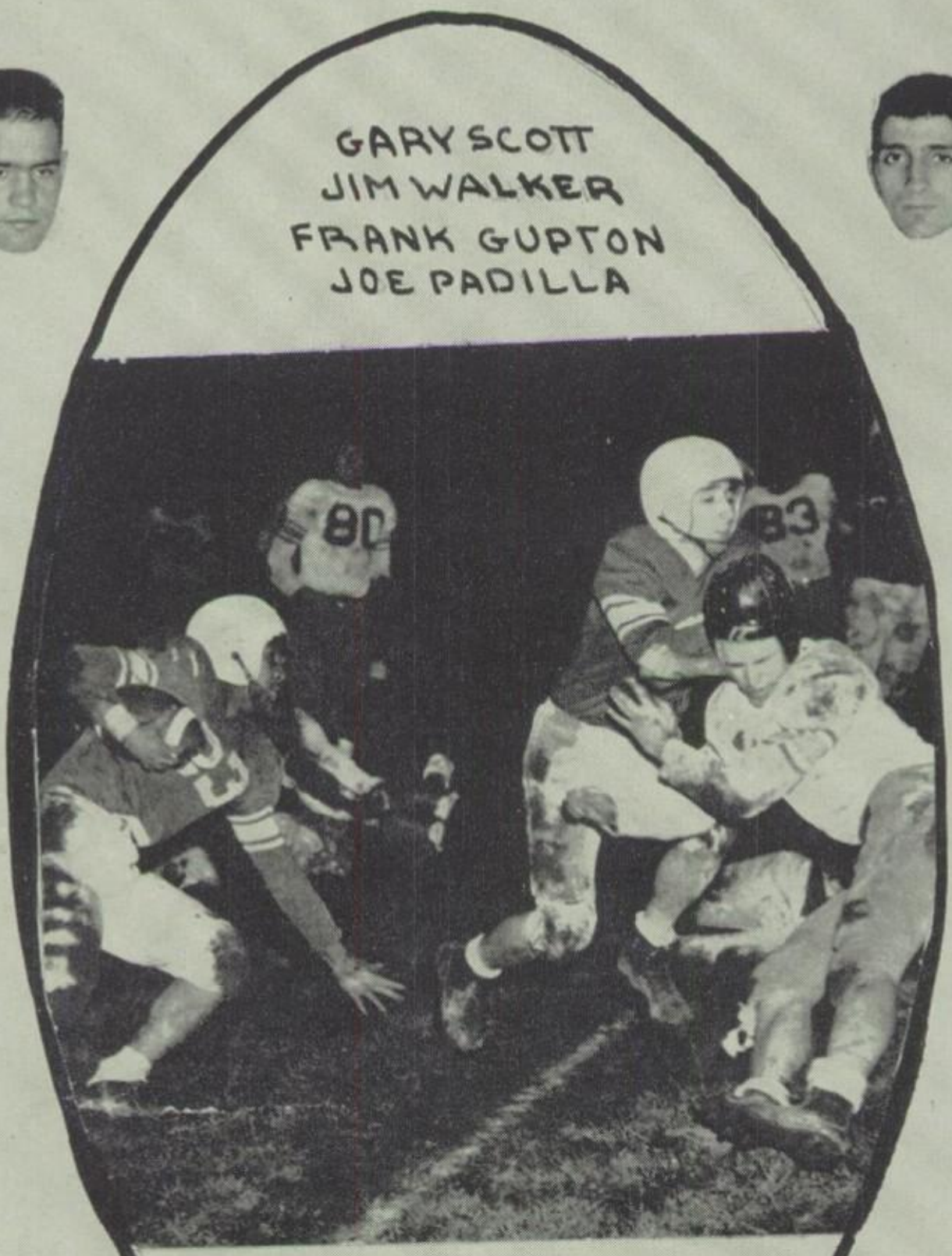


JIM COLBY
JACK FREEMAN
RUSS JOHNSON
ARLAN HALVENSLEBEN

VARSITY

ROW 1—R. Johnson, J. Freeman, J. Ewing, C. Capps, D. Berg, G. Harrell, J. Walker, S. Bolen, F. Gupton. ROW 2—A. Halvensleben, J. Padilla, J. Colby, P. Kemnitz, T. Calkins, D. Ensley, K. Weeden, G. Scott, P. Brom. ROW 3—Coach Nee, T. Meyer, W. House, R. Clayton, R. Beck, D. Mockey, W. Tefft, L. Pohlman, C. Seifert, D. Watson, Coach Currier. ROW 4—W. Laird, R. McCauley, H. Payne, J. Massen, W. Strong, W. Stuhr, A. Little, L. Grody, R. Parmer, R. Gaserude.

The Varsity! The name seems to have a ring to it for football players. It is the motivating goal of all those cold nights of hard work in the J.V. and sophomore years. Here they do have the publicity, crowds, headlines, and that element of pressure. Previous instruction pays off as Head Coach Ken Currier puts the team through its paces.

The fine football witnessed by Beloiters this year was made possible by the work of many, but some received special recognition for their contributions. Stan Bolen and Jim Walker were elected by their teammates as the 1954 co-captains. By the same procedure Jim Ewing and Frank Gupton were voted co-most valuable.

In a wider scope Jim Ewing, end; Stan Bolen, guard; and Frank Gupton, halfback received All-Big Eight conference ratings. Dwayne Berg, the league's top pass-catching end was placed on the second team while George Harrell, Jim Walker, and Russ Johnson received honorable mention votes.

On the Associated Press All-Wisconsin high school team Bolen and Gupton received honorable mention. Probably the highest honor offered a high school athlete, that of All-State, was bestowed upon Jim Ewing, rangy Beloit end. He also gained the same berth on the 1953 team as its only junior and thus became the first repeater in B.H.S. history as well as the first Beloit All-American.

The year again saw Paul Nee coaching the line which, as usual, failed to receive its due recognition. The Purple finished the year with a 5-2 conference record plus a pre-season triumph. This was good enough to place them behind Racine Horlick and Madison West who tied for first.

Receiving their major letter awards at this year's football assembly were: Dwayne Berg, Stanley Bolen, Paul Brom, Tom Calkins, Craig Capps, James Colby, David Ensley, James Ewing, Jack Freeman, Frank Gupton, Arlan Halvenslaben, George Harrell, Russell Johnson, Phillip Kemnitz, Phil Licary, Joe Padilla, Gary Scott, Charles Seifert, James Walker, Dale Watson and Ken Weeden.

Beloit 20 - Rockford 13

This Purple victory started the season on the right foot. Initiating the scoring was Gary Scott from the six. According to the Illinois rules the defense may advance a fumble. Knowing this Jim Ewing covered the 55 yards to the end zone after a Rockford miscue. The winning tally came on Russ Johnson's deceptive 40 yard gallop.

Beloit 7 - Racine Park 6

The Saints started their conference title defense with a triumph. The second period saw quarterback Freeman hit Berg for pay dirt. The critical conversion was made by Dale Watson and Beloit procured the victory by it. After a fine Johnson run, Beloit lost control and ended another threat. A penalty cost Park a draw.

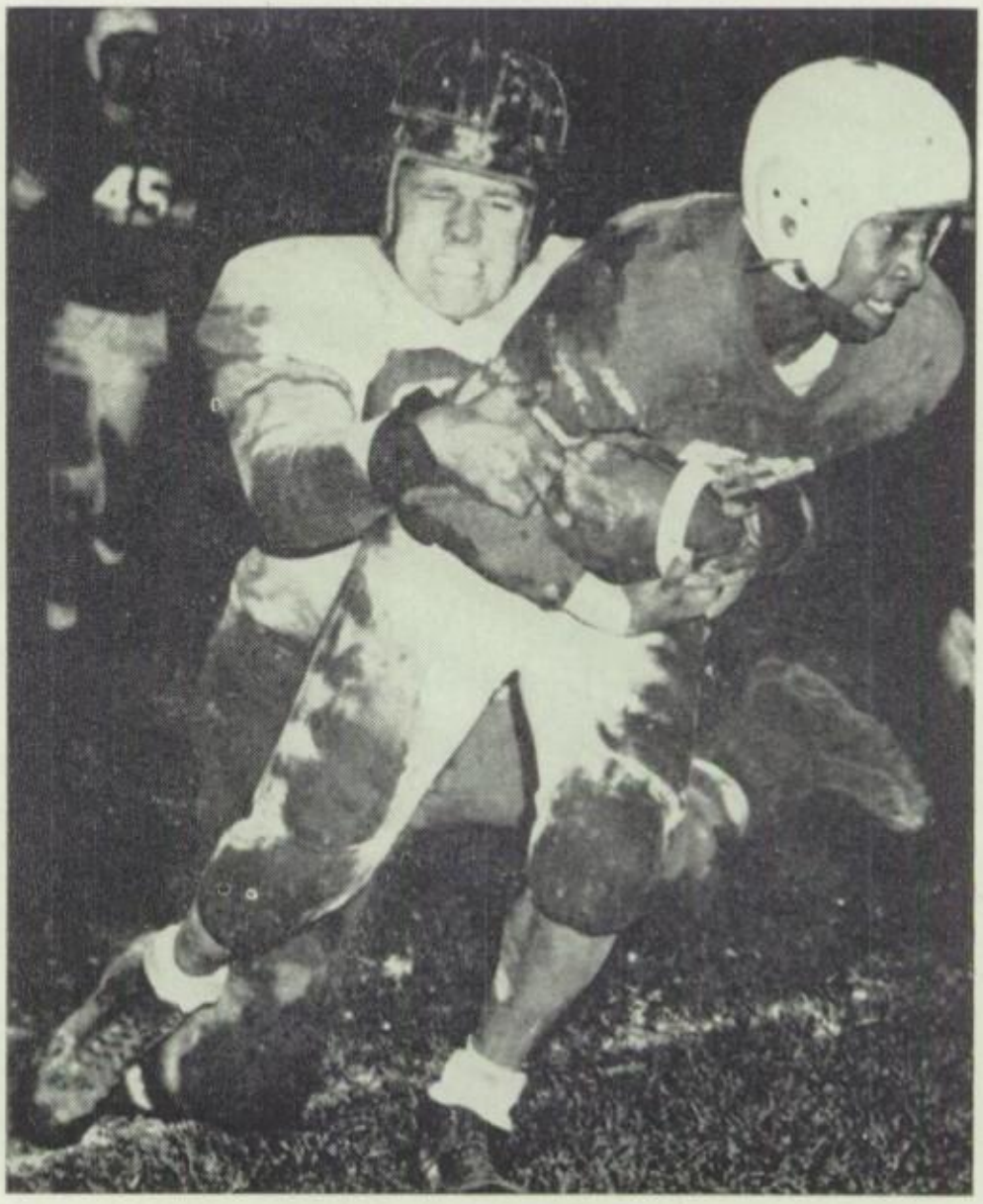
Beloit 7 - Kenosha 13

A contrast of offensive backfields, power versus speed, proved advantageous for the former, Kenosha, as the muddy gridiron played a key role. Gupton's 70 yard run to the 15 proved futile as Dwayne Berg in the end zone let the elusive, wet ball escape to ruin a certain touchdown. Gupton later scored from the one yard line.

All in all "Old Man Weather" raised havoc with this year's Homecoming festivities.

Beloit 14 - Central 13

Beloit made its yardage on the ground, but scored on passes by Jack Freeman. The first was a 28 yard play to Berg. Frank Gupton made a brilliant grab for counter No. 2. Dale Watson's pair of successful conversions proved the fatal difference. Ewing, through his fine defensive work, convinced Central of the impracticalness of going around his end.



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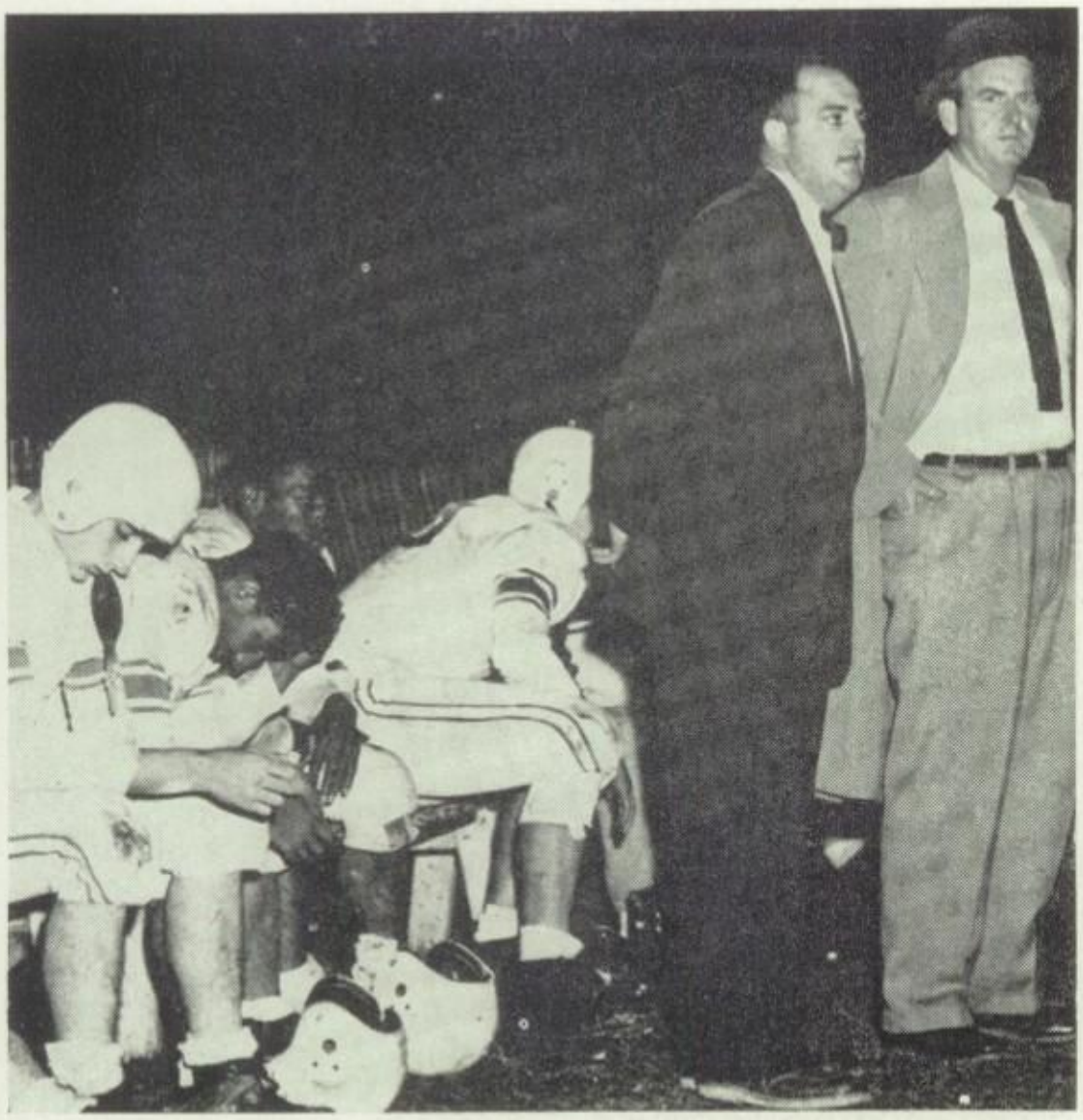


Beloit 26 - Horlick 20

In this well played game Beloit tallied four touchdowns. Registering the first was Frank Gupton on a 63 yard romp. He later in the half scored No. 3. The other two came on Freeman-Berg passes, Berg utilizing his height, looked extremely good this Oct. eve. Despite a 26-7 half score, only a penalty stopped the tying T.D. from counting.

Beloit 7 - West 18

The Purple could only score once this game, Gupton hauling in a pass in the last minutes of period two. Sophomore Don Mackey debuted as a varsity man and shown on his passes, one being the night's only T.D. Jim Ewing was a serious menace to West's defense and offense.

Beloit 25 - East 0

This cold evening saw Ewing after just missing an impossible catch, haul in one of near equal quality in the end zone. Later in the period Ewing tallied on another Freeman toss. Then Gupton took over the scoring job and entered the end zone twice before Coach Currier sent in the reserves.

Beloit 27 - Janesville 7

On the second play Gupton went 60 yards for a T.D., then 15 for No. 2. Next Ewing, playing a tremendous game, caught a Freeman offering and galloped 50 yards through a broken field to pay dirt. Then from the two Jim Walker, senior fullback, scored his first Big 8 T.D. Ewing, as usual, and Phil Kemnitz stood out in the line. The bench was cleared before the final gun of 1954 sounded.

BASKETBALL

BERG EWING NITZSCHE

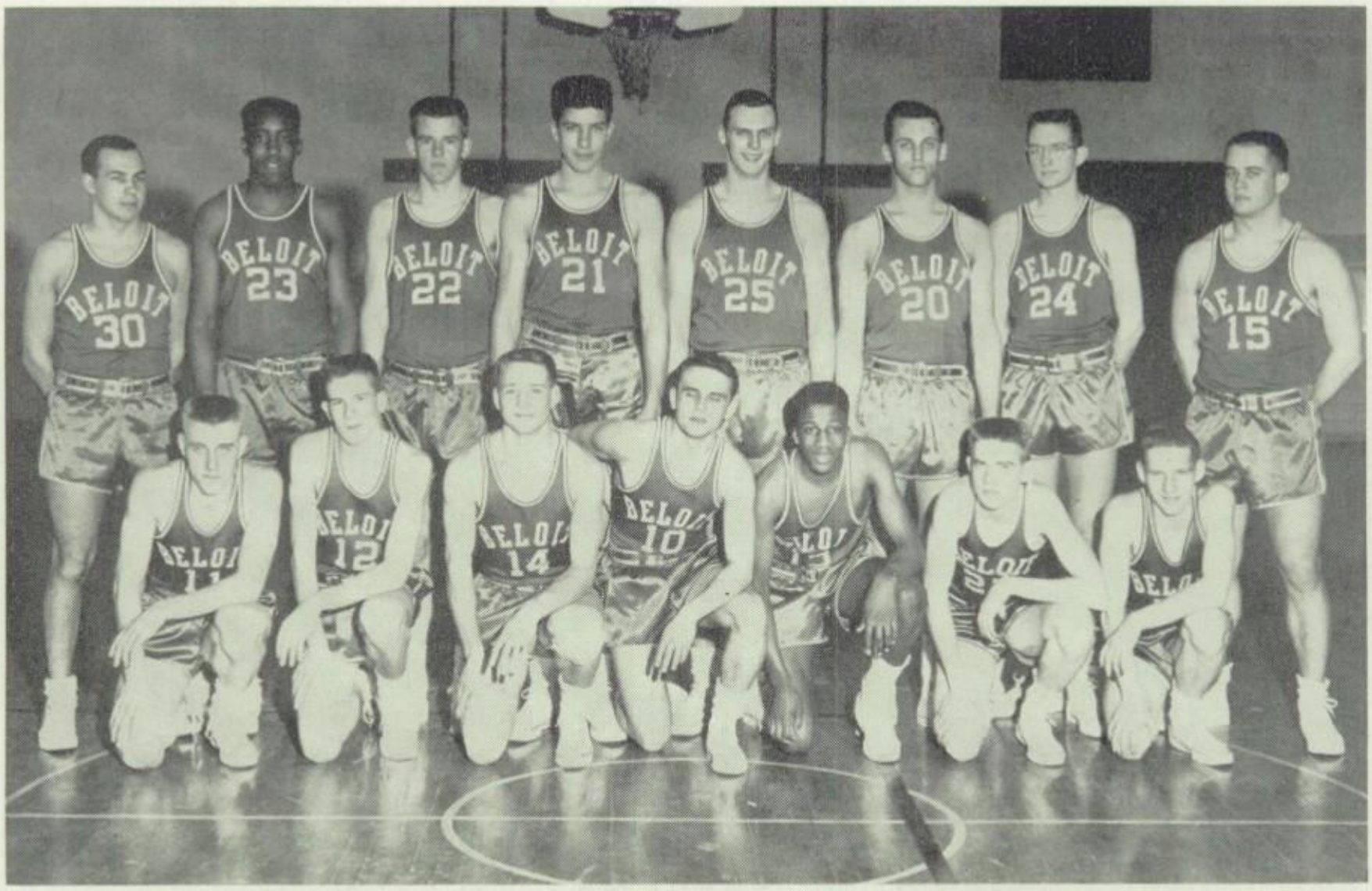
HARRELL HARDYMAN

MACKEY SCHNEIDER

VICTORIES		DEFEATS	
Rockford East	46-48	Racine Horlick	73-56
Janesville	51-68	Dubuque	87-52
South Milwaukee	47-64	Kenosha	50-49
Madison West	41-59	Racine Park	65-57
Belvidere	58-59	Racine Horlick	63-60
Madison East	49-50	Janesville	62-52
Madison Central	8-17	Madison West	65-55
Madison Central	37-62	Kenosha	68-48
Racine Park	53-60	Monroe	56-44
Madison East	47-62		
Lake Geneva	40-68		

POHLMAN HENRY BLAIR

VARSITY



ROW 1—T. Nitzsche, J. Blair, L. Pohlman, D. Schneider, E. Henry, G. Bonier, D. Hardyman. ROW 2—D. Watson, G. Harrell, J. Adams, J. Reimer, D. Berg, D. Mackey, J. Swannack, J. Ewing.

Coach Roy Melvin fielded a very young team this year as only three seniors gained regular berths. This seems to be a good indication that next year's cage coach, Johnny Erickson, will have the material to go far in his return to the Beloit High School basketball scene.

The Saints were co-captained through the season by seniors Jim Ewing and Dwayne Berg. In a post-season election Berg was voted honorary captain while Ewing's worth was indicated by his being named via his teammates as most valuable. Ewing, consistently the top Purple offensive and defensive threat, was the only Beloiter to receive any rating in the Big Eight honor teams as he staked down one of the all-conference guard posts.

The team was only able to reach the .500 mark in fourteen conference tilts. In non-conference play the Purple had only one defeat, the finale of the Dubuque-Beloit series, raising their regular season record to a satisfactory 10-8.

Two streaks were ended this year. The first was a string of sixteen consecutive home court victories. The other was the Saints failure to reach the State Tournament after two straight appearances. The Beloiter's Madison trip was abruptly ended in their second game by a fine Monroe cage congregation. The Cheesemakers went on to Madison and made an impressive showing.

The Saints receiving major letter awards were Dwayne Berg, James Ewing, David Schneider, George Harrell, James Adams, Larry Pohlman, Terrell Nitzsche, and Donald Hardyman.

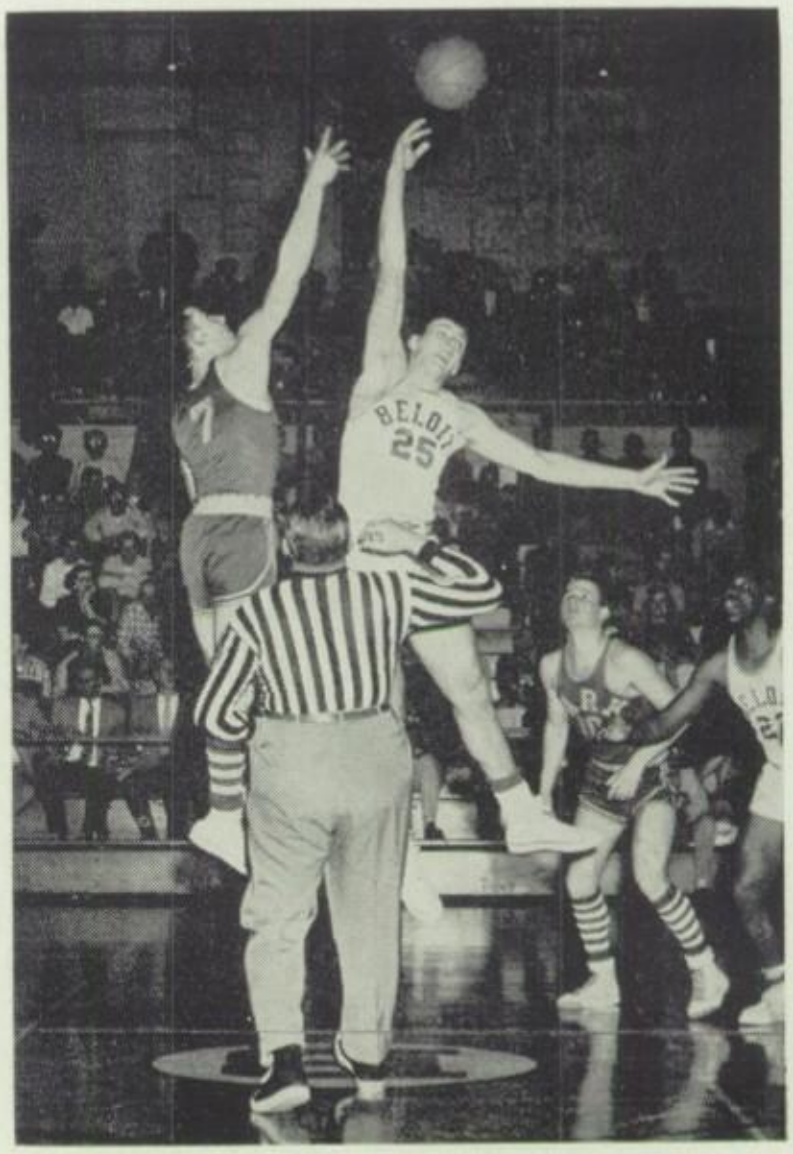
BASKETBALL SUMMARY

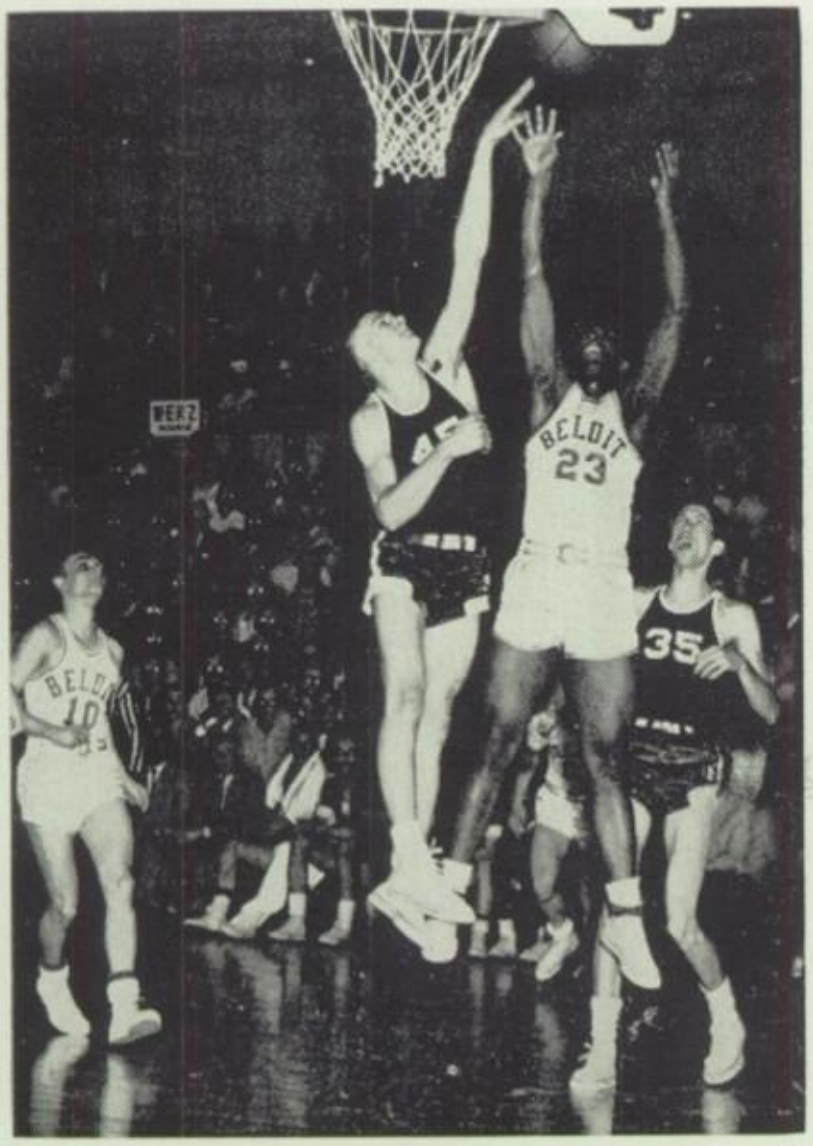
The Saints of Beloit started the 1954-1955 season with a thriller of thrillers against Rockford East. Trailing the E-Rabs 46-40, Jim Ewing found his form as he hit for six points in the closing moments. To climax the game he sank two free-throws after the final buzzer to give the hometowners a 48-46 triumph and himself individual honors with 15 markers.

Hitting the road the Purple met Racine Horlick who handed them their first defeat of the season, 73-56. A lack of experience was costly as Beloit's tall team committed numerous offensive and defensive errors.

Beloit continued their streak of home court victories by beating their arch-rivals from Janesville in an exciting 68-51 contest. Jim Ewing matched Janesville's Bob Kreul with 18 points to share top scoring honors. Beloit displayed a good amount of "scrappiness" as they continually killed rival rallies.

A highly regarded South Milwaukee team met their match in the crew under Coach Roy Melvin. A couple of new





faces took eminence in this game as little Dave Schneider and big Dwayne Berg gave Beloit a long and short shot punch respectively. Berg sank 20 points as he established a career high and gained individual scoring honors. Jim Ewing backed Berg with an important 15 more in the 64-47 tilt.

The Saints then moved back into conference competition with Madison West and gained a 59-41 verdict for their second loop triumph. Jim Ewing paced the Beloit offense with 17 points as well as being a steady influence on his teammates. Beloit's control of the boards was shown by the fact that 9 of their 21 field goals were on rebound shots. Dwayne Berg and Jim Adams had 14 points apiece as they supplemented the offensive punch.

Returning to non-conference play Beloit edged the Belvidere Buccaneers, 59-58. Again Ewing captured the position of top pointmaker with 21 points to his credit as the Purple cagers made 19 of their 28 field goal attempts. In the final minute with Beloit nursing a one point

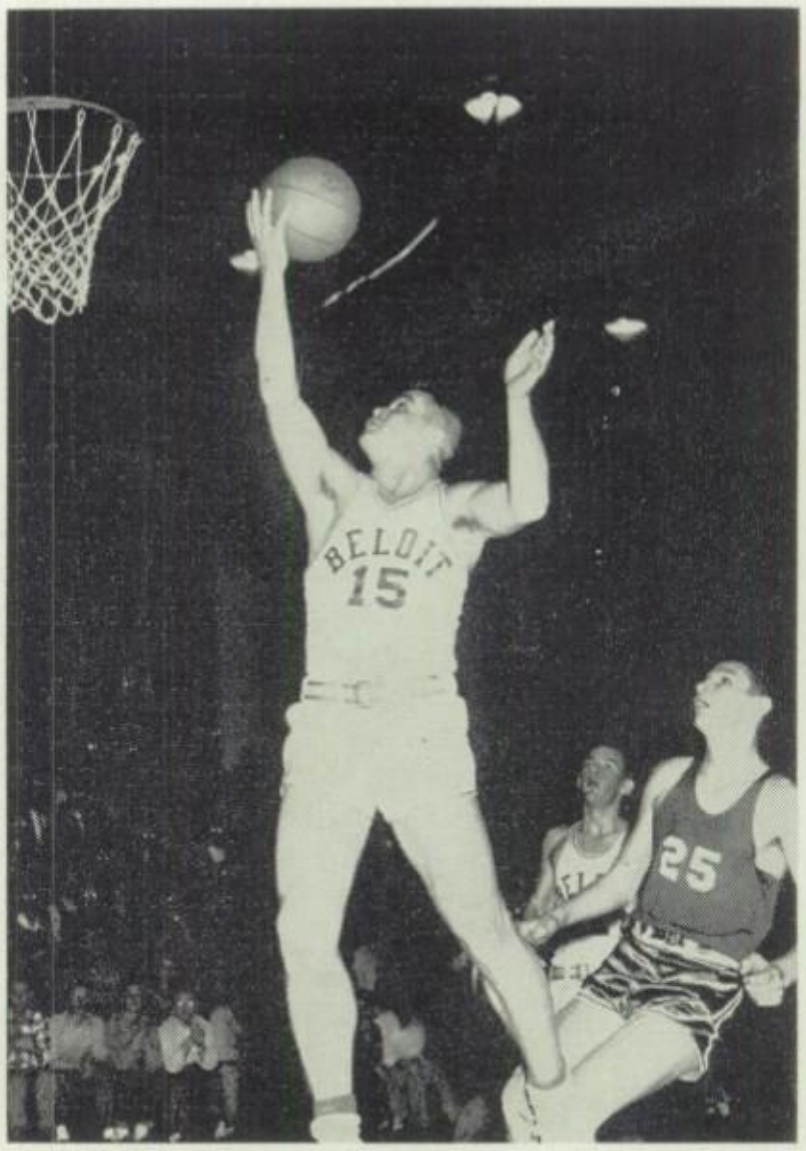
BASKETBALL SUMMARY

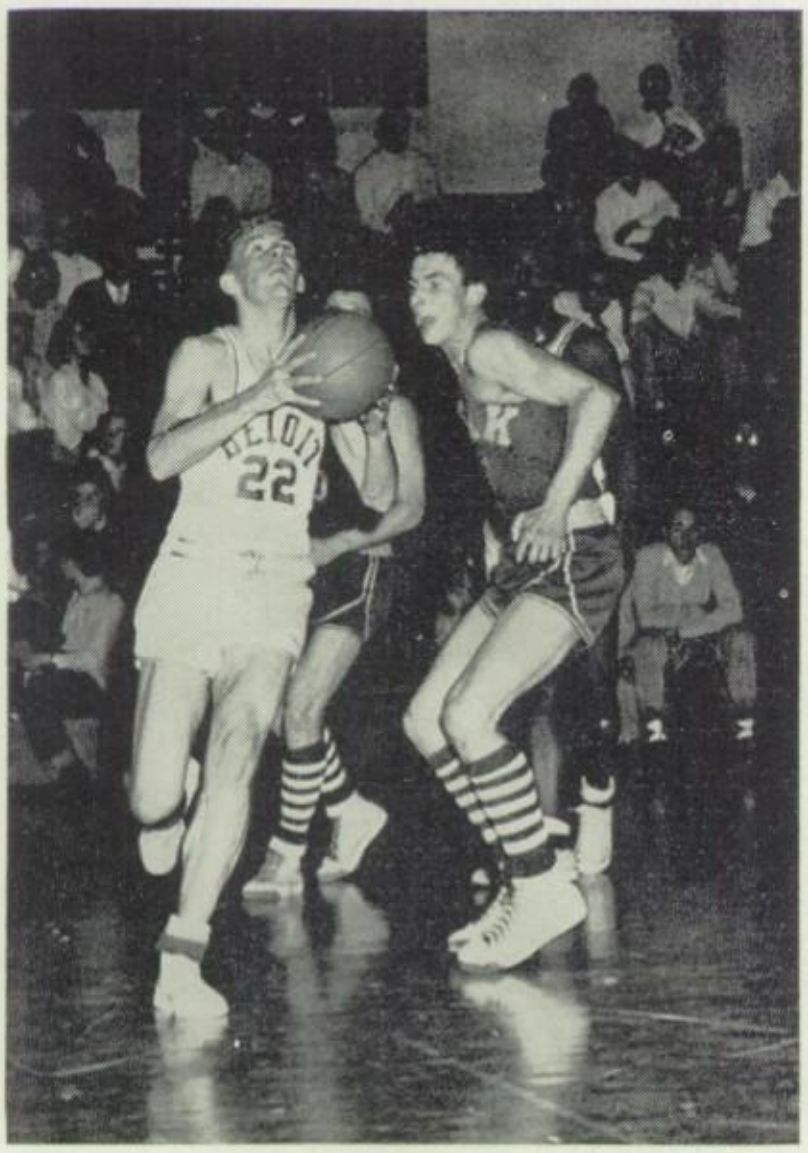
lead Jim Adams and the game's top scorer, Tony Asherns of Belvidere, committed a double foul. Both made their pressure shots giving the Saints another verdict.

The Beloit four game winning streak came to an abrupt halt on this December eve as Johnny Orr's Dubuque Rams walloped the out-of-staters, 87-52. Their main attack came from Bob Hulburt and Gene Grunau who combined for 55 markers, more than the entire Beloit squad. Jim Ewing led the losers with a mere 11 points in the final of two-year series which saw Dubuque victorious twice.

Beloit's four game road trip was concluded with a 50-49 heartbreaker. Kenosha was paced by the night's top scorer, Bob Hartman, a southpaw long artist. Behind Hartman's 14 came Jim Adams and Dwayne Berg at 12 each. Beloit, who jumped to an early lead, had some closing shots, but they were all in and out, consequently our Big Eight record dropped to the .500 mark in four games.

Led by big "Dink" Berg, Beloit gained the lead in the fourth quarter after a





poor display prior to that point.

The Madison East Purgolders nearly caught up, but the score ended at 50-49. Jim Adams was the evening's number one scorer with 16 tallies as the Purple captured an undisputed claim to third place.

Going neck and neck into the final three minutes with Racine Washington Park the Saints lost several offensive big guns including Dwayne Berg and Jim Adams. Minus these men Coach Melvin's charges slipped to a 65-57 defeat. All-conference forward, Bob Harrigan, had 18 for Park. Guards, Jim Ewing and Dave Schneider had 12 points apiece for the losers.

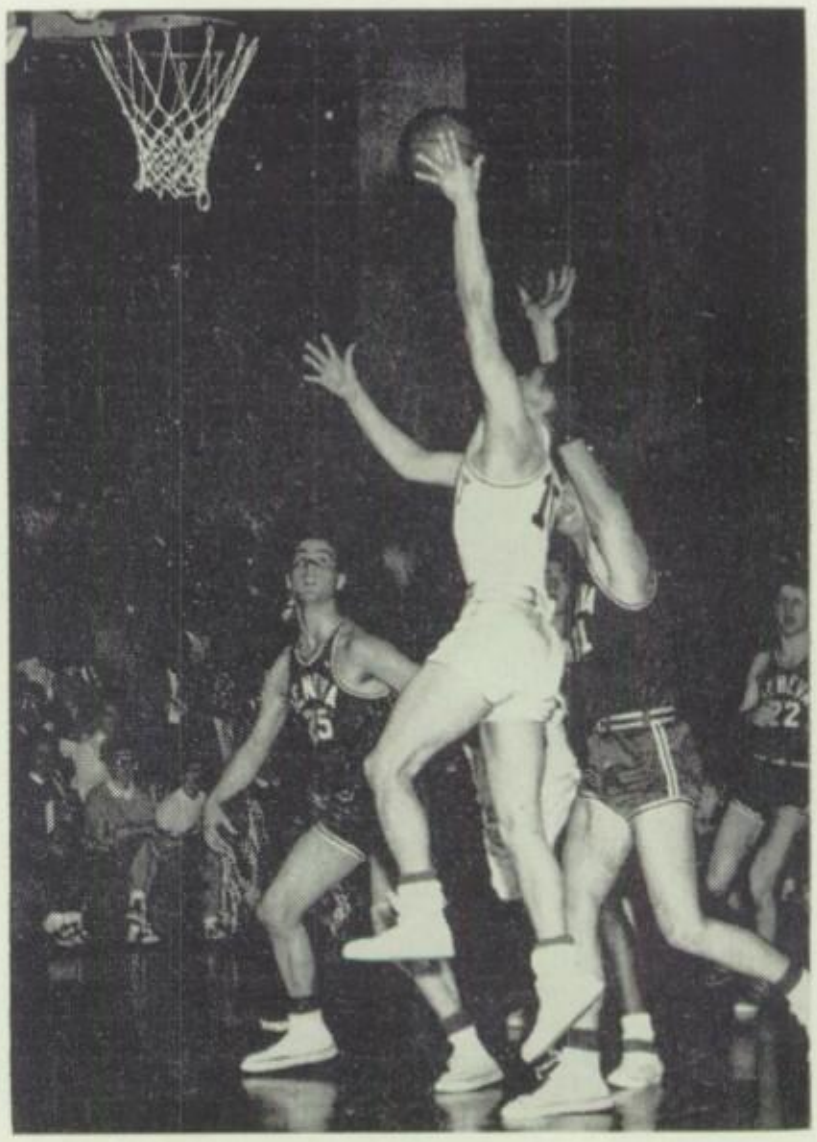
Sounding like the early 1900's Beloit beat Madison Central by a score of 17-8. Electing to freeze the game Central found the Saints willing to let them and consequently the only action much of the time was that of Dwayne Berg and Central's Tim Chasey moving around the pivot positions. The host team failed to make a single field-goal while Beloit's little senior guard, Dave Schneider, was

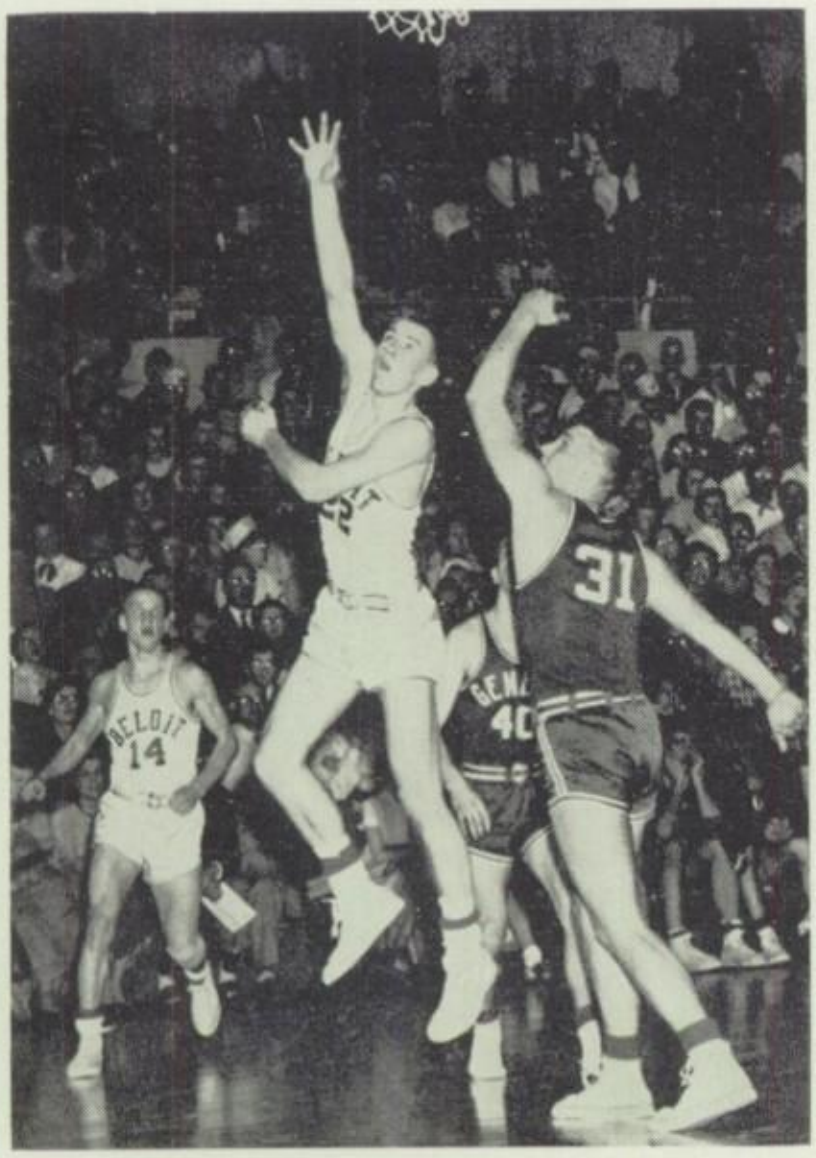
high man with three for six points.

The following week, league-leading Racine Horlick came to tangle with the local cagers. Beloit was protecting a string of 16 consecutive home court victories as well as trying to keep dying title hopes alive with triumph number five. An early surge spearheaded by Dave Schneider and Jim Ewing prepared the 2,000 fans for a massacre that never took place as the Rebels went on to defeat Beloit in a wild 63-60 contest. Before fouling out, Schneider collected 10 points while Ewing registered 15.

A well-balanced Beloit team with good shooting, rebounding, and defense was too much for Madison Central as they suffered a "thawed-out" 62-37 setback. Coach Melvin used his reserves a large share of the time as Jim Ewing, in a limited appearance, was top Saint point-maker with 11.

Janesville's Bluejays turned the tide as they avenged an earlier defeat to the Purple in a 62-52 game. Jim Ewing was the only Beloiter who was effective from the field as he led both teams with 18





points.

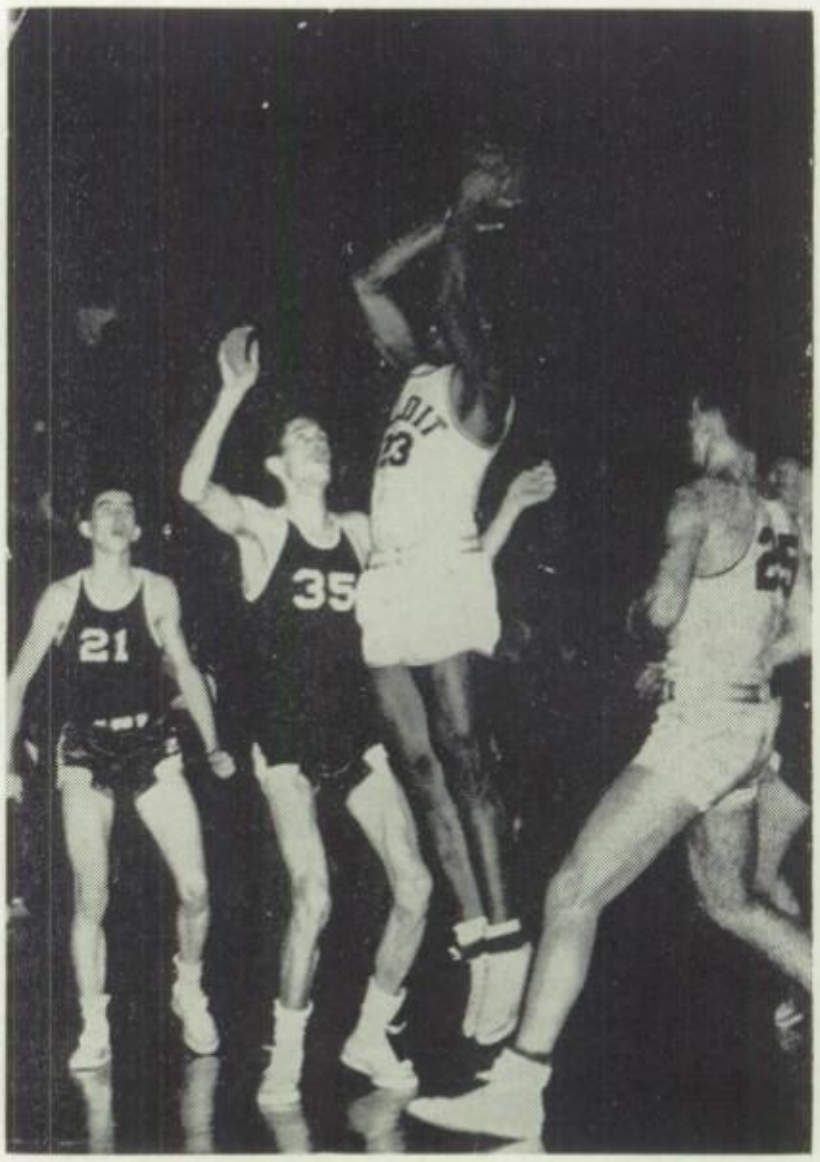
The next game Beloit lost also, a 65-55 decision to Madison West. The poor passing and shooting of the Fourth Street crew in this game provoked the city newspaper to term the Saints as "lackadaisical locals". Bob Brunette led West, whose long shot attack paid off handsomely, with 21 points while Beloit's two Jims, Adams and Ewing, each managed to get 13.

The Saints slapped back at frowning followers with an impressive 66-53 victory over Racine Park. Beloit was probably at its best as it hit for a 52% shooting mark. One of the evening's most pleasant happenings was the arrival of George Harrell as a scoring punch. In addition to Harrell's 14 points, Jim Ewing, playing the second half with four fouls, collected 18. Jim Adams was top man with 19 points and a fine floor game.

Sophomore Jeff Cohen, big Kenosha center, hit for 25 points as he led his teammates to a 68-48 rout of the Beloit team. The efforts of Jim Ewing pulled

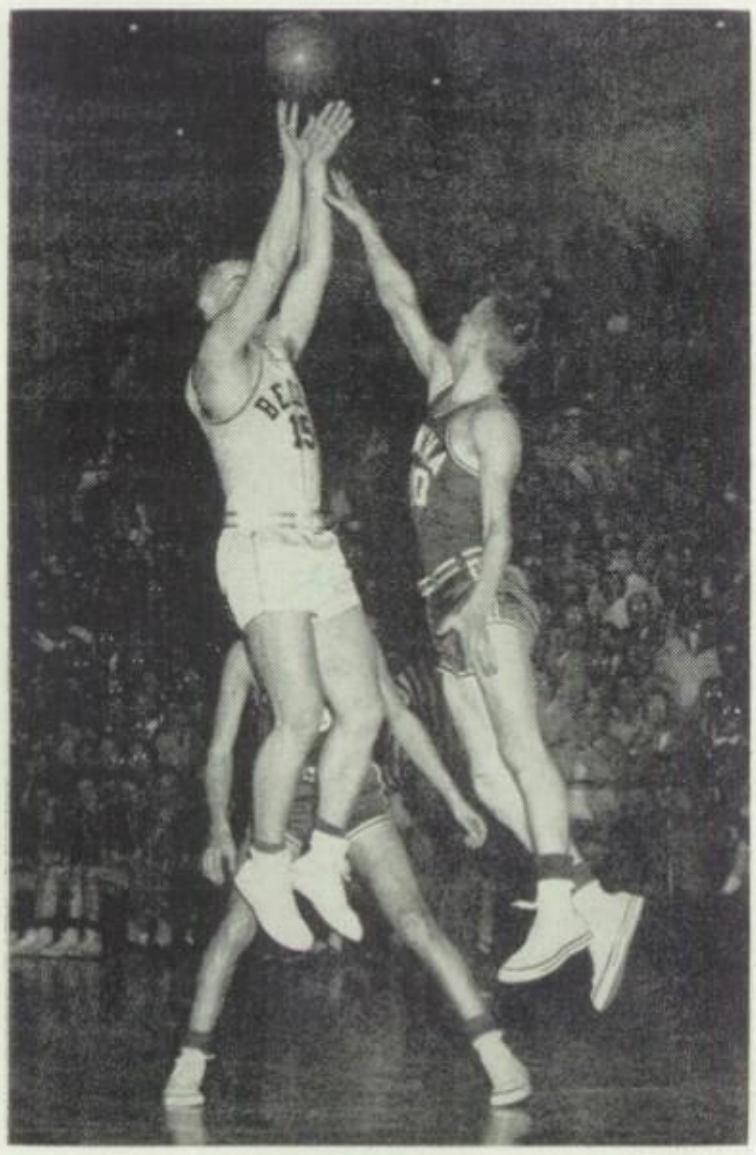
the Purple close when he exploded in the third period and collected 8 of his 21 tallies. The general good game of the visitors, however, soon widened the gap in Beloit's home finale of the regular season.

Beloit erased the Madison East first half lead and moved out ahead with a fine comeback in the last conference meeting for the cagers. Big George Harrell controlled the boards well and made 11 of his 19 points during the second half surge. Jim Ewing, leading point-maker, hit 16 of his 25 during the same rally which led to a 62-47 victory.



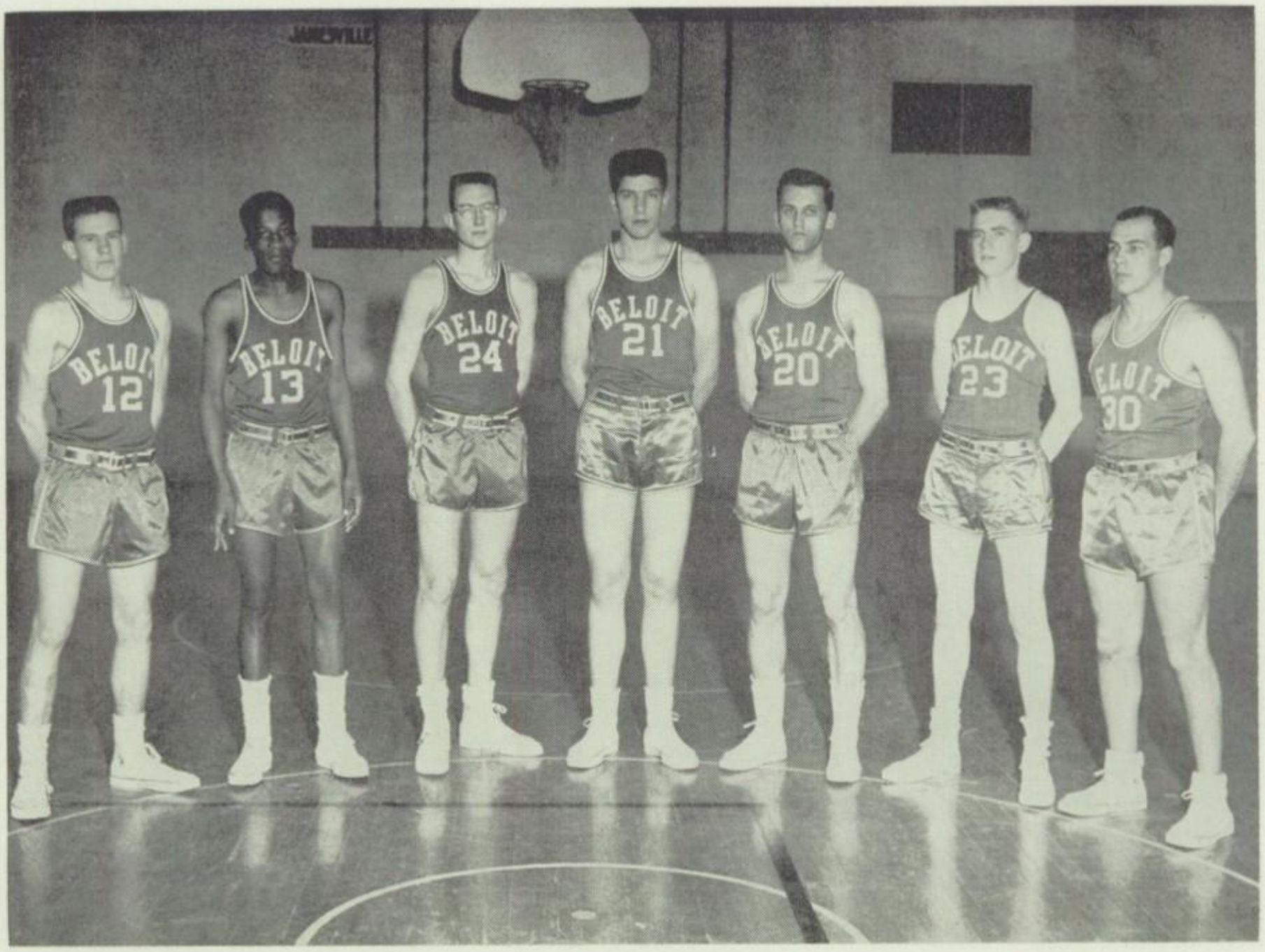
TOURNAMENT

Beloit in the previous two seasons had traveled the long, hard road to Madison to completion; Lake Geneva was the first barrier in this year's journey. In this game big George Harrell teamed up with the Saint co-captains as he displayed a fine rebounding and rallied for 15. The other big guy, "Dink" Berg, showed his early season form on the boards with Harrell and on the scorecard as he sank 13 points. All-conference guard, Jim Ewing, showed the Resorters his deadly jump shot as well as the other qualities that earned the Big Eight honor rating as he registered 18 points, the evening's high. The final score was 68-40.



The next barrier was the Monroe team under Lee Mitchell. They had won 18 of their 19 starts and had the second spot in state rankings. Beloit met them and was defeated by a score of 56-44. The Cheesemakers' superior height and shooting ability humbled the Beloiters into submission. Jim Ewing collected 12 points while Herb Ableman of Monroe hd 17. The evening's top scorer, Bob Anderegg, in garnering 21 points showed why he went on to establish State Tournament scoring records. Monroe justified its victory over the local stalwarts by continuing on the Madison road to the semi-finals where it took the state's number one rated team to defeat them by a mere two points.

JUNIOR VARSITY



J. Blair, E. Henry, J. Swannack, J. Reimer, D. Mackey, G. Bonier, D. Watson

The Junior Varsity this year worked under the eye of Bernard Barkin. His job was to train the squad for their Varsity days of the future. The worth of this coaching became evident whenever Mr. Melvin sought the services of a J.V. man. In this role they serve as invaluable reserve material and gain experience needed for the following year when they will perform for the crowds as regulars.

The team played eleven games and fell one short of the .500 mark. These games were usually played without spectators and served as learning exercises where the emphasis was not on winning. Composed chiefly of juniors, it also had seniors who didn't win a place with the Varsity regulars and sophomores whose performances merited them a promotion.

Minor letters went this year to the following: Jack Reimer, Everett Henry, James Blair, Gerald Kennedy, Dale Watson, Walter Strong, Donald Lyons, Gustav Bonier and Jervis Swannack.

Beloit	37	Hononegah	35	Beloit	66	Capron	40
Beloit	53	Rockford East	75	Beloit	38	Rockford East	60
Beloit	58	Rockford West	52	Beloit	73	South Beloit	52
Beloit	52	Janesville	55	Beloit	36	Rockford West	74
Beloit	57	South Beloit	66	Beloit	54	Janesville	53
		Beloit	65	Freeport	68		

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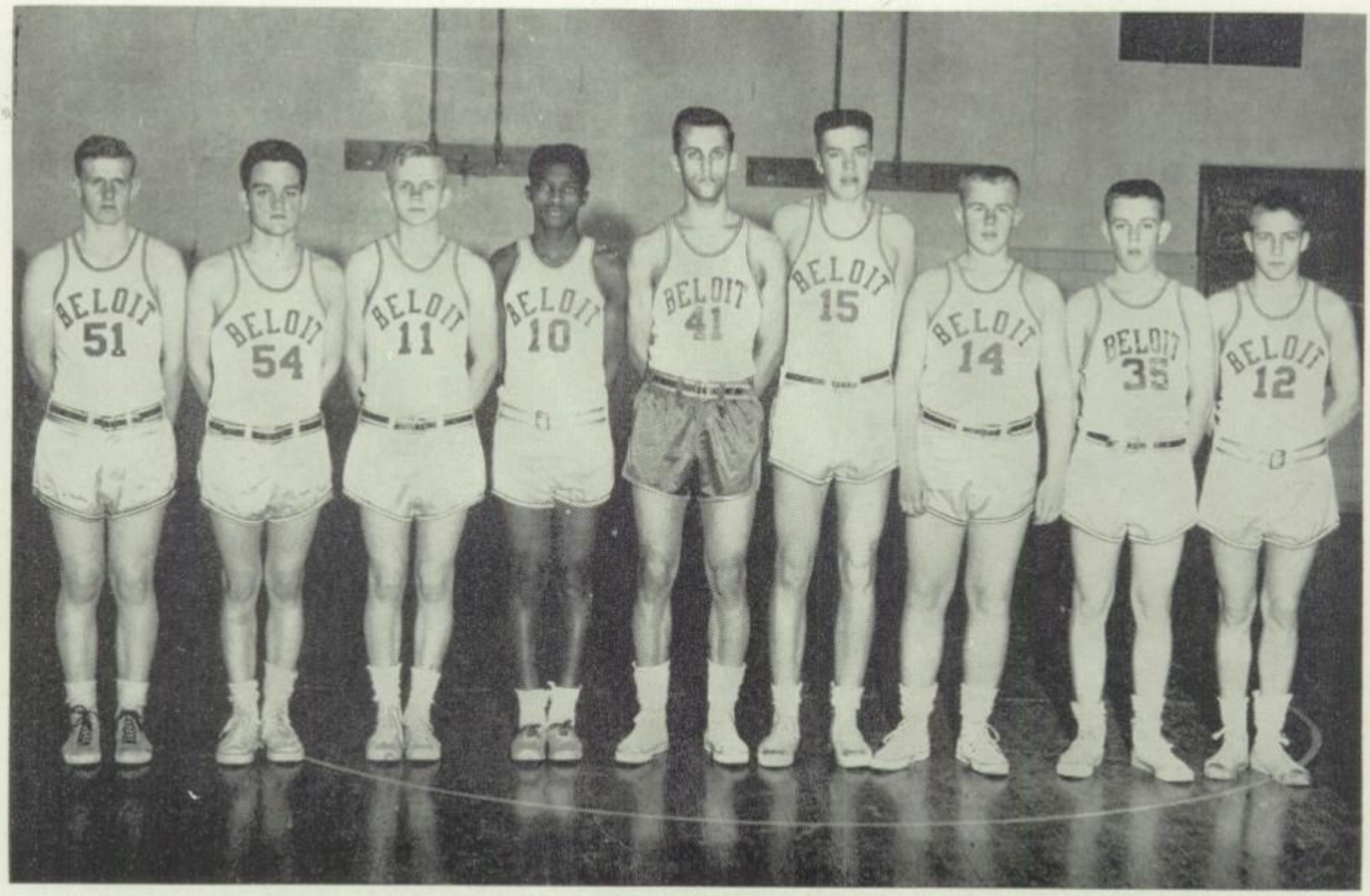


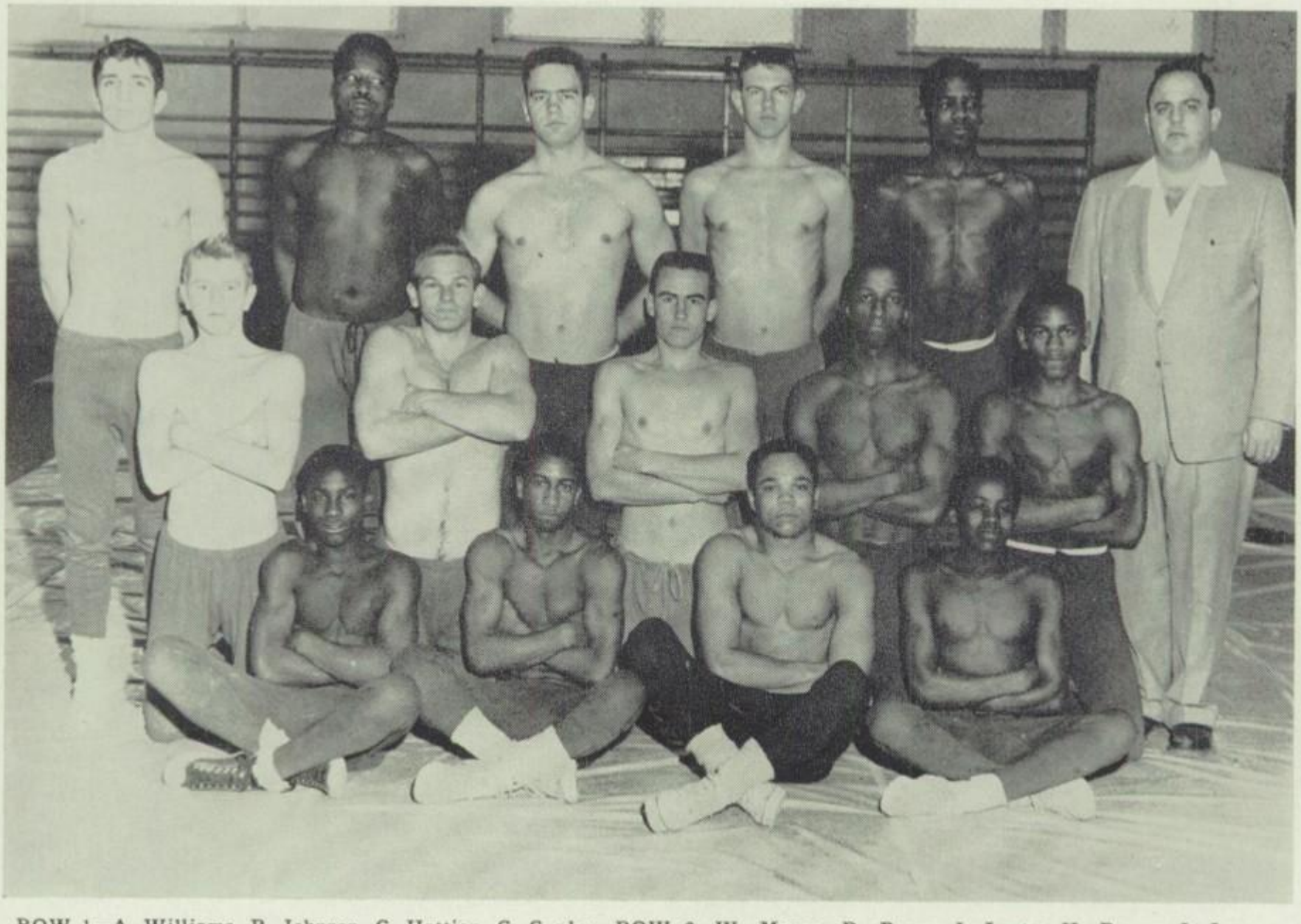
Left to Right—C. Lamb, T. McCarthy, R. Storley, J. Payne, D. Mackey, T. Lee, J. Anderson, P. Church, W. Gobel.

The sophomore basketball squad was again this year coached by "Hub" Dodge. The team's standing was not as impressive as last year when they captured first place in the conference, however, they were successive in other ways. Performing prior to the varsity contests the sophomores gave early spectators many an exciting moment. Secondly they qualified several candidates for the J.V.'s and Varsity, this being one of the team's chief purposes. Two of these, Don Mackey and Everett Henry, were the main offensive attack of the "little Saints", consequently the team was weakened by their departure.

The following receiving numerals for their efforts in the 1954-1955 cage season: Terry Lee, Tom McCarthy, Wally Gobel, Paul Church, Don Mackey, Ron Storley, Jacob Payne, Jim Anderson, and Charles Lamb.

		BELOIT			BELOIT
Rockford East	44	41	Park	42	48
Horlick	60	52	Central	56	57
Janesville	37	39	Horlick	72	60
South Milwaukee	50	55	Central	22	61
Madison West	72	47	Janesville	56	41
Belvidere	60	54	West	63	38
Dubuque	71	58	Park	65	69
Kenosha	54	58	Kenosha	49	41
Madison East	36	37	East	67	47

WRESTLING 1954-5



ROW 1—A. Williams, R. Johnson, G. Hattiex, G. Gordon. ROW 2—W. Mayes, D. Bown, J. Luety, H. Payne, J. Lomax. ROW 3—J. Freeman, E. Davidson, J. Walker, R. Clayton, W. House.

This year saw our Varsity wrestling squad competing in a tough conference. As the season progressed Beloit had few bright spots until the sectional meet. Here the Purple qualified four men in the state tournament. These grapplers were: Adolph Williams, Russell Johnson, William House, and George Hattiex. At the state level Johnson gained fourth and House third in their respective weight classifications.

Receiving major letter awards this year for their work under Coach Ken Currier were: Jack Freeman, George Hattiex, William House, Russell Johnson, Hall Payne, James Walker, and Adolph Williams. Minor letters went to: Dale Bown, Eliza Davidson, Gerald Gordon, James Luety, Walter Mayes, Joe Lomax, and Michael Koons.

1954-1955 RECORD

Janesville 33	Beloit 9	Madison West 18	Beloit 30
Madison Central 12	Beloit 28	Janesville 28	Beloit 12
Madison East 28	Beloit 19	Janesville Quadrangular	3rd Place

Conference Meet 5th Place

Sectional Meet 3rd Place

State Meet 11th Place

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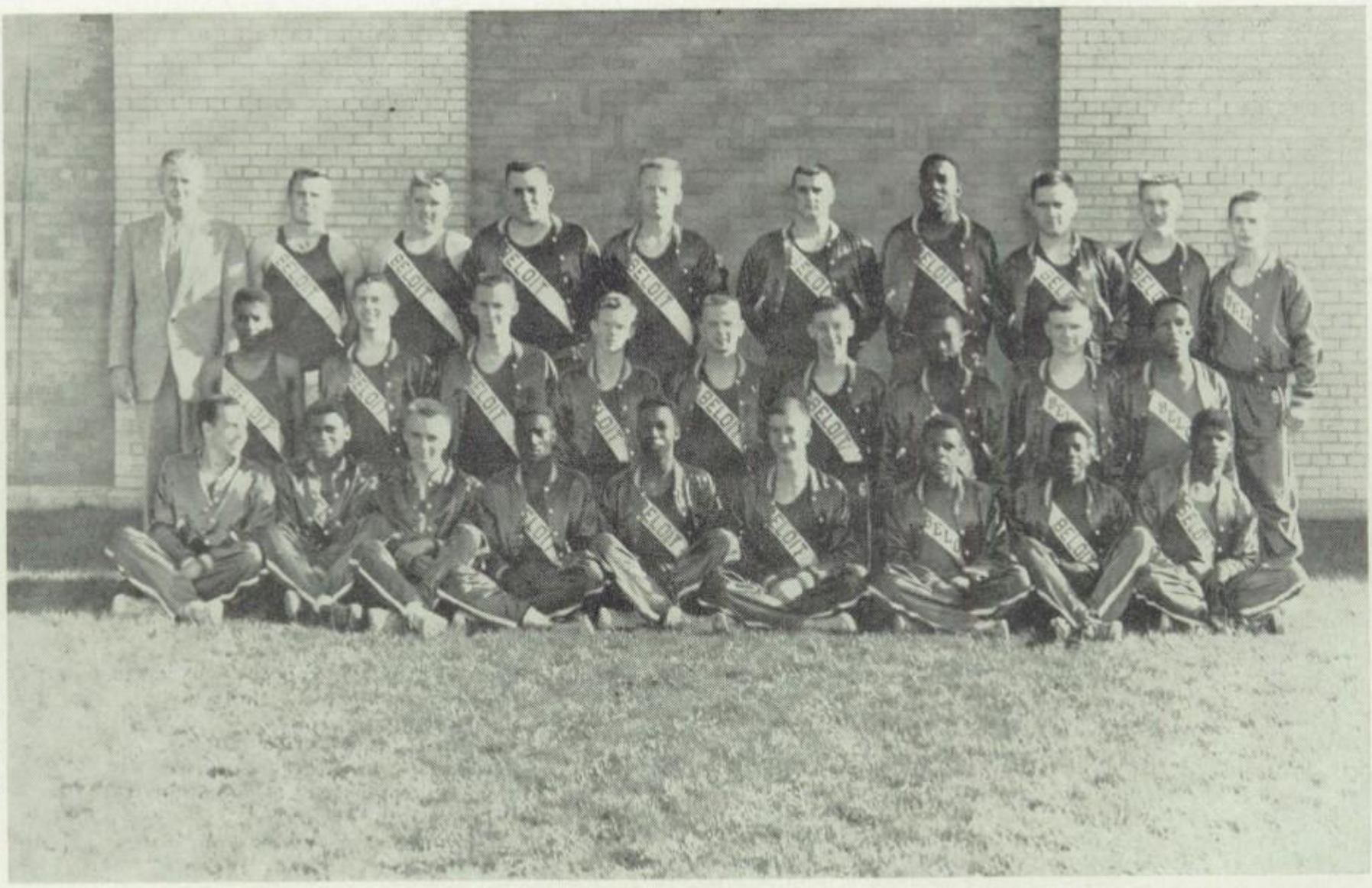


SEATED—Left to Right— D. Watson, J. Lomax, R. Batterman, S. Garrett, A. Little, J. King, P. Johnson, J. Sanders, F. Peterson; KNEELING—E. Henry, R. Clayton, C. Seifert, G. Mattews, T. Ramquist, R. Kammerer, E. Bond, J. Donaldson, H. Payne; STANDING—Coach Nee, D. Ensley, M. Koons, C. Capps, R. Drake, J. Harris, G. Harrell, J. Walker, P. Lancaster, G. Scott.

Head track coach Paul Nee's longtime dream of a top-flight cinder system for Beloit high became a reality this spring when the Purple dedicated the new track north of school with a victory over South Beloit on April 21.

Coaches Nee and Ken Currier, who reverse their football status for track, were not greeted by too many candidates at the initial practices this spring due partially to the broad athletic program available and other interest. Forgetting this they commenced to melt the squad down to a crew of hard-working, conscientious thinlies.

As the season progressed it became evident that the team wasn't a terrific winner, but they were a collection of thinclads Beloiters need not be ashamed of.

The following is the road pursed by the 1955 cinder Saints after an initial meet with South Beloit was postponed.

Hononegah
Janesville and Rockford East
South Beloit
Janesville Relays
Janesville Dual
Rockford East Dual
Monroe Dual
Rockford West Dual
Beloit College Freshmen
Conference Meet
Sectional and State Meets

GOLF

Left to Right: P. McMahon, F. Parsons, D. Mahlum, W. Unsworth, A. Rubnitz, J. Anderson, J. Swannack, C. Brehm, R. Storley, L. Schroeder, Coach Wittich.

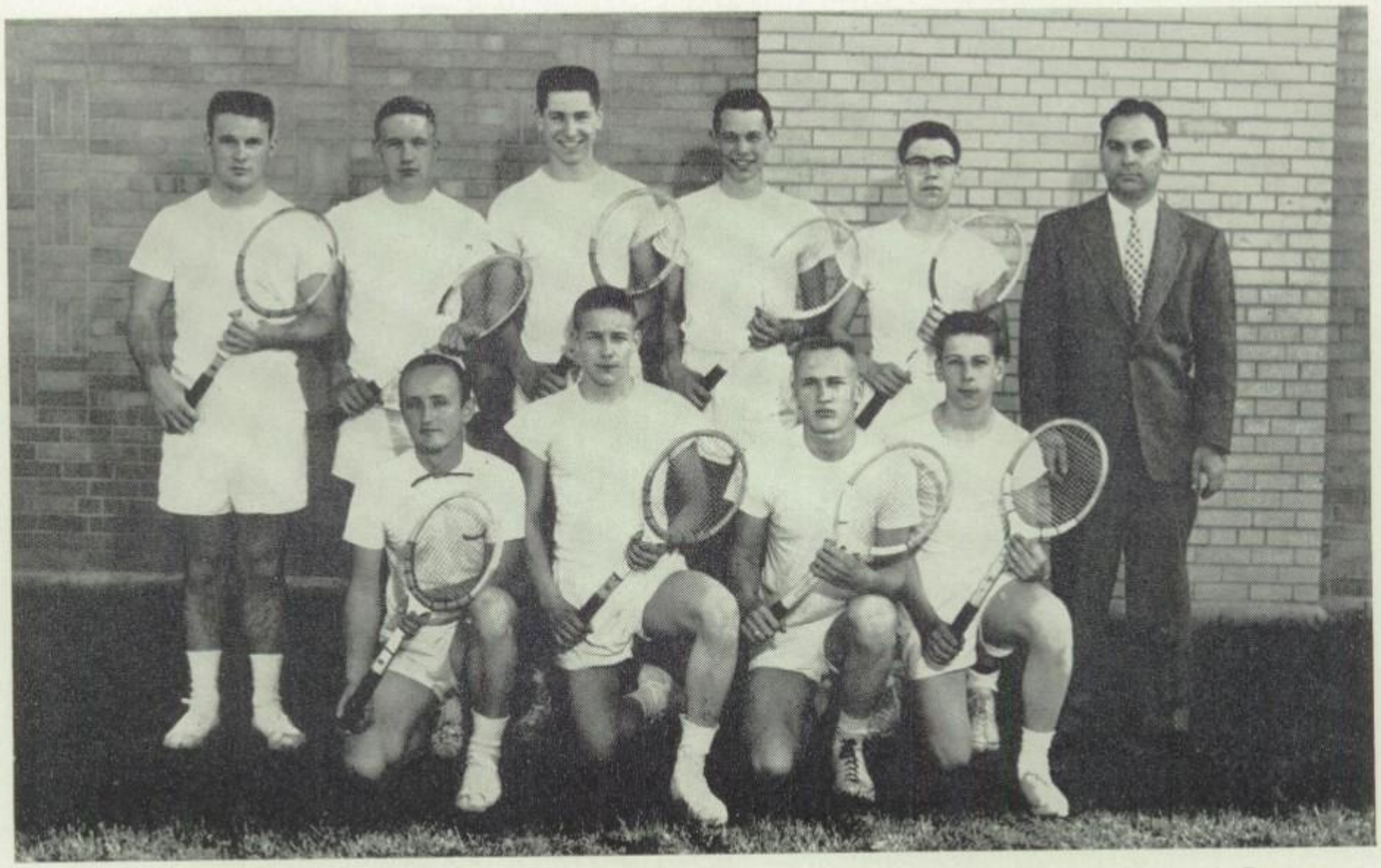
This year Coach George Wittich had a young team that turned out in numbers. At the time this article was written, however, the squad had not been too impressive as far as victories.

With the exception of a few matches only five golfers can be used. Usually appearing in these tilts will be a trio of sophomores and a brace of upper classmen (Jim Anderson, Ron Storley, Bill Unsworth, Jervis Swannack, and Alan Rubnitz).

Below is the schedule that the Saint "turf-excavators" will follow the year, not including practice matches with the college freshmen and junior high school golf teams. Probably their most important meeting of the season will be at Racine on May 21 when the conference championship is decided.

Rockford West
Wis. High, Madison West, and Madison Central
Freeport
Rockford East
Belvidere
Wis. High, Madison West, and Madison Central
Rockford West
Janesville
Janesville Invitational
Hononegah
Janesville
Conference Tournament
Rockford East
Sectional and State Tournaments

TENNIS



Left to right: ROW 1—L. Goodrich, W. Gobel, G. Kennedy, J. Holmes. ROW 2—F. McQuade, J. Holloway, A. Putterman, D. Palmer, R. Stadler, Coach Provus.

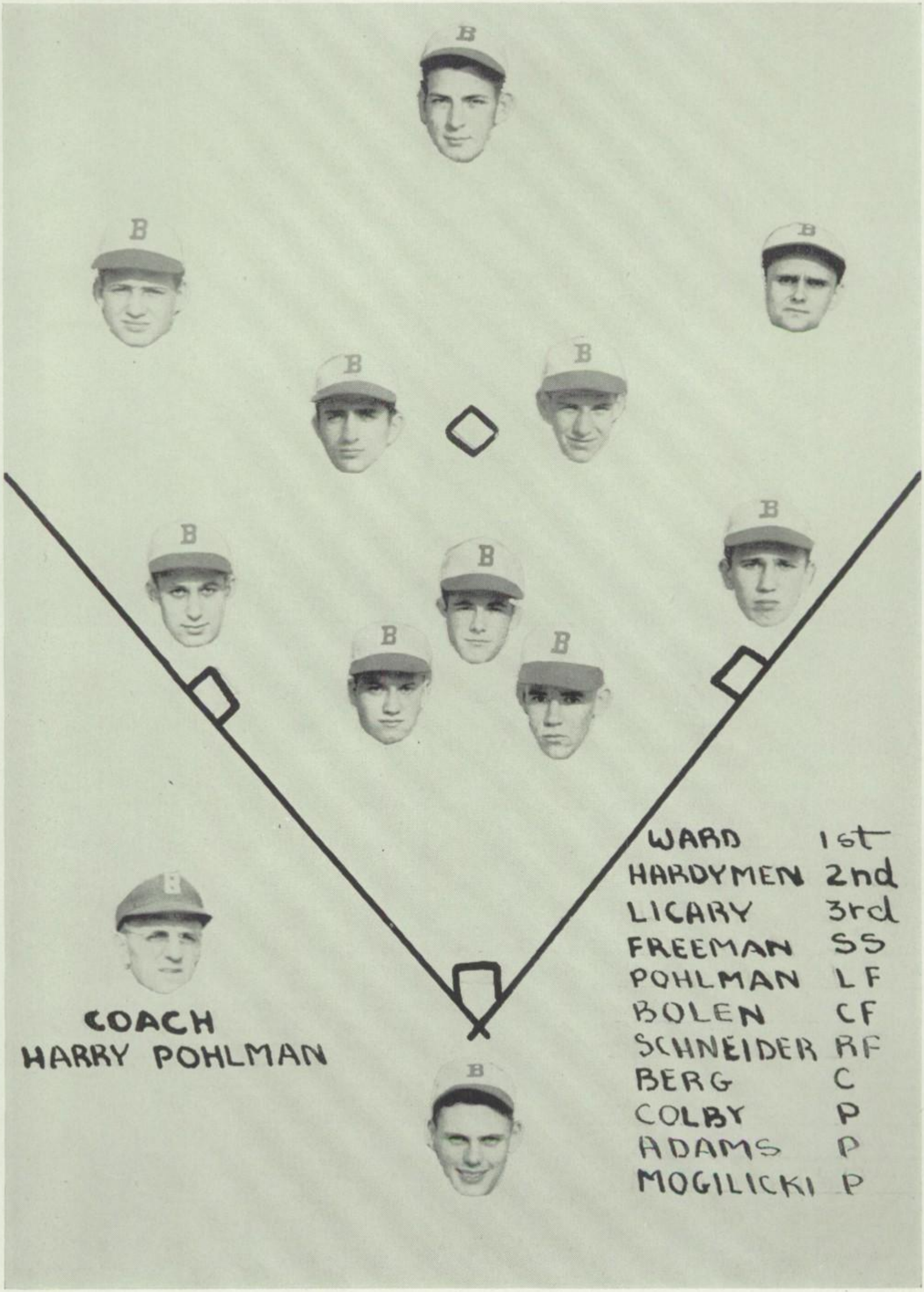
The 1955 tennis squad was again this year piloted by Mr. Seymour Provus. The team only lost one man through graduation. Consequently, the Purple was well seasoned. Next year's outlook continues to be bright as many underclassmen have earned key net posts.

Lorenzo "Bucky" Goodrich gained the number one singles berth. He was followed by a senior, Dave Palmer, and a brace of juniors, Jim Holloway and Allen Putterman. These same four netters also formed the two top Purple doubles teams.

The netters have had trouble finding their place to this point. It is their hope, however, that a combination of Provus tutelage and practice at the lagoon courts will stand them in good stead come the conference and sectional meets.

The following is the schedule to be pursued by the Beloit netmen:

1. Belvidere at Beloit
2. Rockford East at Beloit
3. Lake Geneva at Beloit
4. Quadrangular with Madison East, Janesville, Beloit and Racine Park
5. Janesville at Beloit
6. Beloit at Belvidere
7. Beloit at Rockford East
8. Beloit at Lake Geneva
9. Beloit at Janesville
10. Big Eight
11. State Sectional at Beloit
12. State Meet



COACH
HARRY POHLMAN

WARD	1st
HARDYMEN	2nd
LICARY	3rd
FREEMAN	SS
POHLMAN	LF
BOLEN	CF
SCHNEIDER	RF
BERG	C
COLBY	P
ADAMS	P
MOGILICKI	P

VARSITY BASEBALL

ROW 1—L. Pohlman, W. House, J. Adams, D. Berg, S. Bolen, G. Ward. ROW 2—Coach Pohlman, W. Hills, P. Licary, D. Schneider, D. Mackey, J. Colby, T. Mogilicki, D. Hardyman, J. Freeman.

It took the 1955 baseball squad six games before they tasted defeat. During the course of this flying start Beloit's ace lefty, Jim Colby, tossed himself a no-hit, no-run game against Johnson Creek.

Leading this year's version of the Saints in the lumber department are shortfielder Jack Freeman and outfielder Larry Pohlman. Freeman also is a student in defense as is flyhawk Stan Bolen.

Coach Harry Pohlman was blessed by many veterans this spring and will again next. Pohlman's charges have performed as follows thus far:

Beloit	6	Rockford West	6
Beloit	3	Johnson Creek	0
Beloit	9	Rockford East	2
Beloit	10	Madison Central	4
Beloit	9	Madison West	0
Beloit	1	Madison East	5
Beloit	2	Janesville	3
Beloit	2	Madison West	8
Beloit	11	Madison Central	2
Beloit	10	Rockford West	10
Beloit	4	Janesville	3
Beloit	6	Madison East	9
		Mukwonago	
		Rockford East	

JUNIOR VARSITY

Left to right. ROW 1—R. Oster, W. Colby, L. Hoskins, J. Adams, D. Mackey, W. Hills, W. Swanson, T. Mogilicki. ROW 2—Coach Pohlman, P. Church, G. Badertscher, N. Bailey, T. Kallen, G. Johnson.

Baseball has only been in Beloit high three years. The sport in this time has received such success that it now has a junior varsity squad. This team is like any other J.V., it trains its members for Varsity play the next season. The team was composed in 1955 of four juniors and a number of sophomores.

Pacing this season's team with their stickwork and fielding agility are Tommy Kallen, Don Mackey, and backstop Billy Hills.

After an initial defeat the Purple J.V.'s commenced to murder their opposition. The following is their record to date:

Beloit	6	Rockford West	7
Beloit	10	Belvidere	2
Beloit	16	Clinton	1
Beloit	12	Janesville	4
Beloit	13	Delavan Deaf	4
Beloit	7	Janesville	2
Beloit	18	Delavan Deaf	7
Beloit	15	Clinton	6
Beloit	11	Rockford West	13

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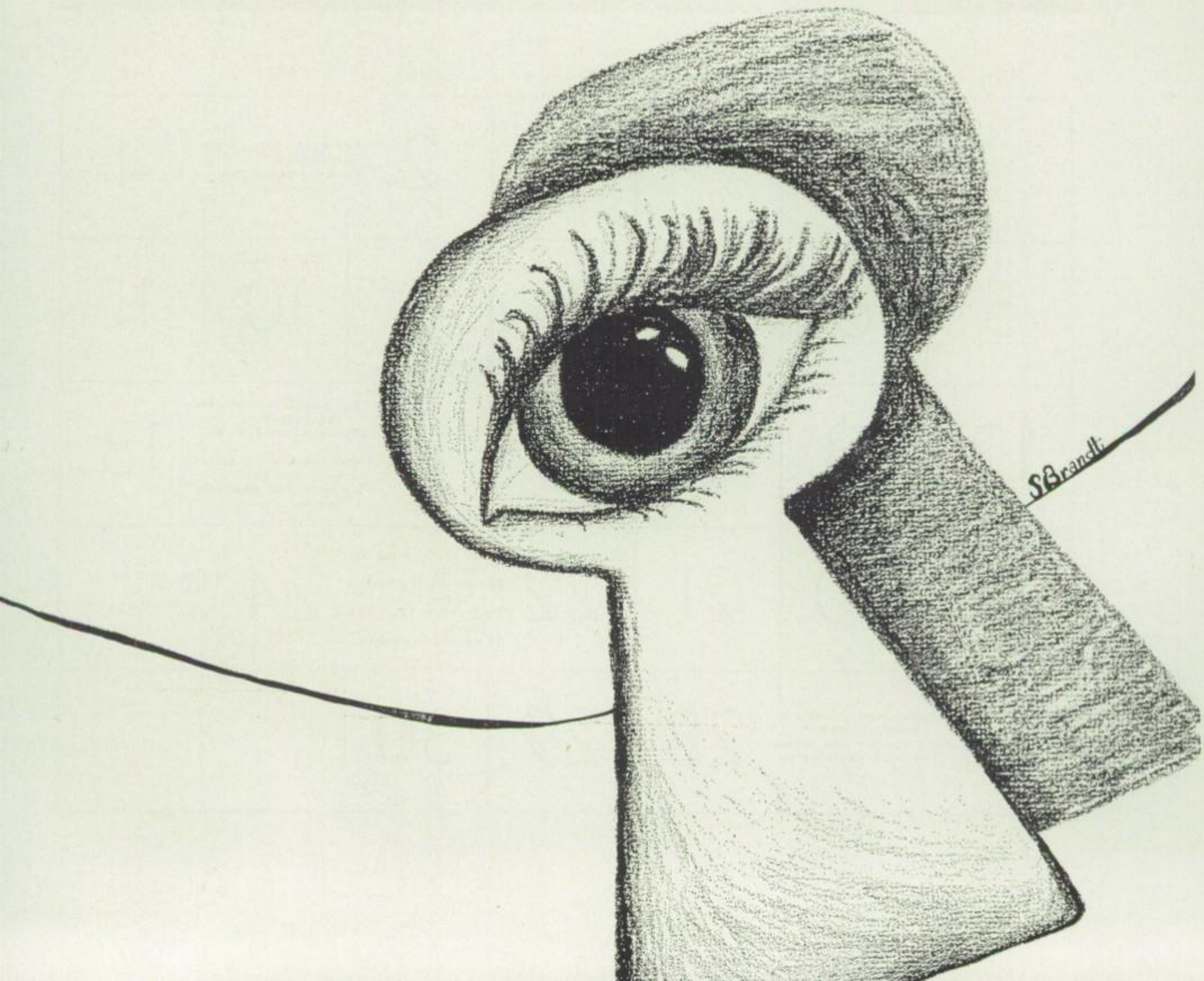

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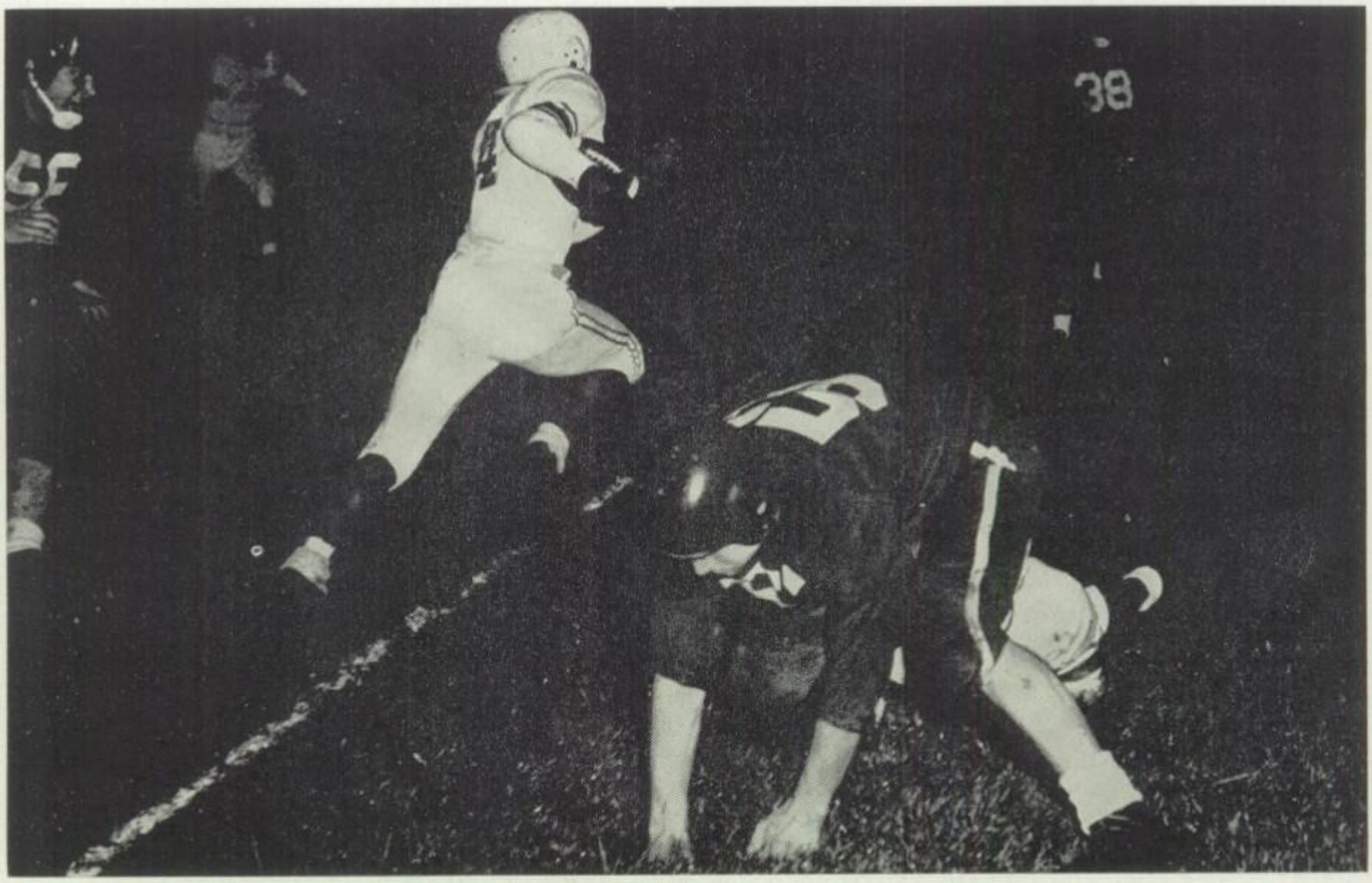

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
			1	2	Vacation's over, back to school, To learn again the Golden Rule.	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	For our first game of the season To Rockford East we go, Our team has practiced long and hard To meet this challenging foe.	18
19	20	21	22	'Twas really hard to choose, But we finally picked a queen, She's really tops! Dena! Of course, we mean.	24	It's our first dance this fall. So, come one! Come all!
26	Ouch! Well, maybe it wasn't so bad. It's for our own safety These TB shots we've had.	28	29	30		

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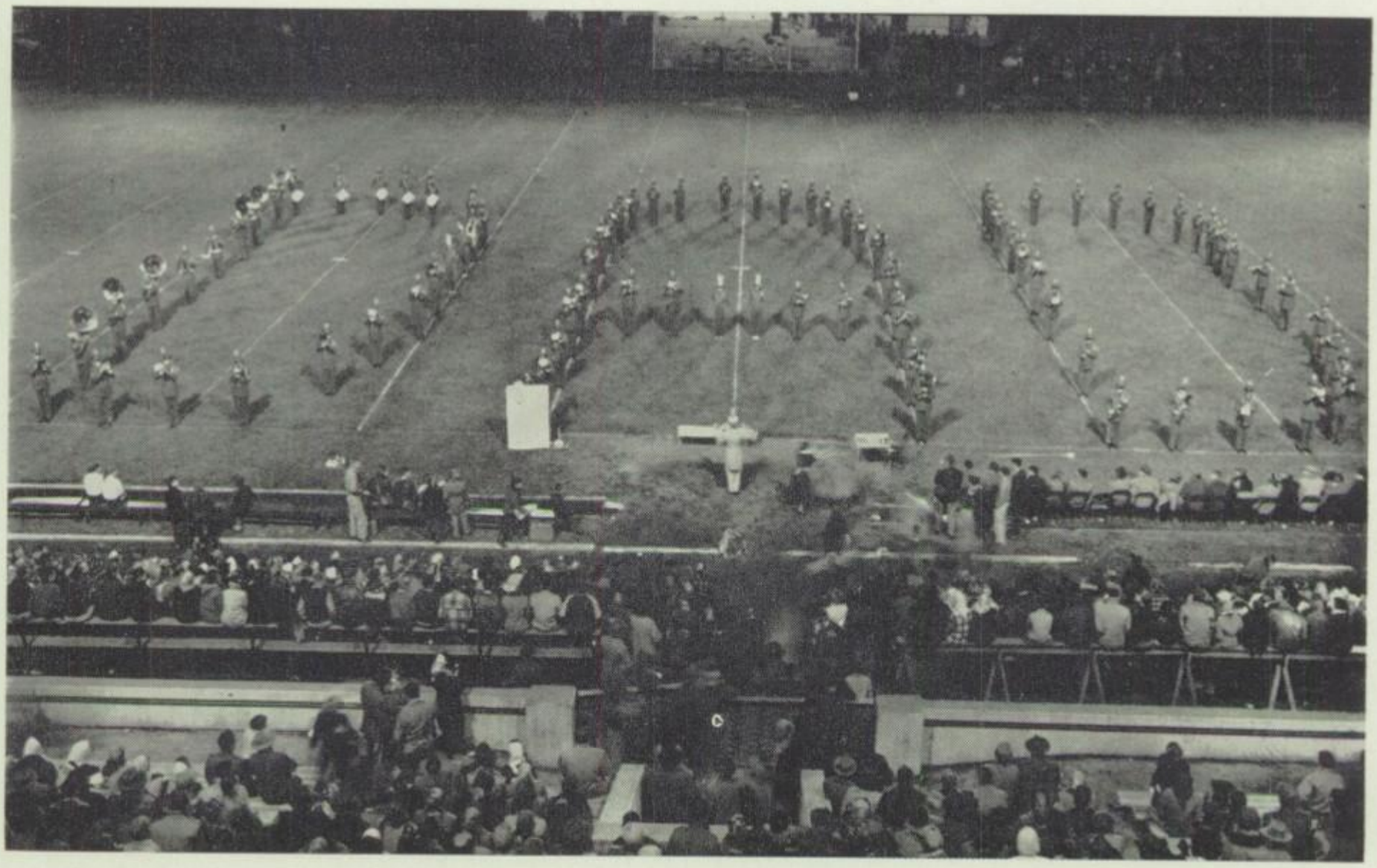

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
				Beautiful floats! A lovely queen! One of the finest Homecomings we have seen!		2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	At the game tonight We honor Dad, We think he's the Finest to be had!	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	We visited the industries that make our city hum, These factories will supply the future jobs of some. The "Business Day" excursions were of interest to all, No matter the size of the industry—large or small.		28	29	Put on your masks! Come join the fun! The Halloween Dance Has just begun.

NOVEMBER

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
	1	2 This Janesville team may think they'll win. But we are going to top 'em. Our team is really hot tonight, There's nothing that will stop 'em.		4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 I prithee, sir, tell me what goes on here? It's "Connecticut Yankee," a fine play my dear.			18	19	20
21	22	23 Let's start our Thanks-giving vacation off right, And go to the big "Hobble Gobble" dance tonight.		25	26 East is the team that we play tonight. We'll show them Beloit hasn't lost it's old fight.	
28	29	30				

DECEMBER

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	Our student-faculty banquet, We thought was lots of fun, 'Twas really quite a success, And enjoyed by everyone. 10		11
12	13	The annual Christmas concert was Beautiful as we knew it would be— And the wonderful story of Christmas, Once again we could hear and see. 15	To the Mid-West music clinic Went our band's ensembles—twenty strong. A fine job they did representing Beloit High, Among that music clinic throng.			18
19	"Merry Christmas, everybody!" Echoed through our halls so gay. It's finally the end of school for awhile, And Christmas vacation is underway.		22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

JANUARY

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
						1
2	Now that Christmas is over And the New Year has begun, Let's remember our resolutions And get some home-work done!	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	Remember the man on the flying trapeze? And his wife who swung with the greatest of ease? What daring feats—a glorious show, 'Twas the aerialist assembly, don't you know?	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	Senior talent was brought out, In their talent show, no doubt, Singing, acting, panto-mime, You can bet it was mighty fine!	20	The Hobo Dance was quite a thing, We really cut a jolly fling. A painted face and a derby hat, You might win a prize lookin' like that!	22
23 30	24 31	25	26	27	Our clever "Saints" scored 50 points— Madison East, 49, At the end of that game and our kids did roar, "Fellas that was mighty fine!"	29

FEBRUARY

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
		1	2	3	4 "The Stars and Stripes" was the theme, And the military ball the answer To every maiden's dream.	
6	7	8	9	10 A tiny king, A tiny queen, The cutest homecoming ever seen.		12
13	A heart aflutter, A hopeful sigh, Where will cupid's arrow fly?	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	It's finally here, girls! Now's your chance! Ask that boy to the big "Twirp Dance." Hurray! Don't let your chance go by Now's the time to catch that guy!		
27	28					

MARCH

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	Shore an' begorra 'tis the day For the wearin' of the green! What day is that? Why, St. Patrick's Day of course we mean.	16	Quite a production this year was begun, Two operettas instead of one— "Down in the Valley" and "Trial by Jury" How the crew and cast did scurry, To see that a fine performance was done.		19
20	21	22	23	24	The University Chorus we heard today 'Twas really a fine program! I'm sure you'd say.	26
27	28	Did you hear the band concert? Well, I guess you can bet, That that fine reputation Still holds true yet.	30	31		

APRIL

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
				'Twas Eastertide when our Christ died, And the pantomime depicts The life of Christ and his goodness too, And Him on the crucifix.		2
3	Us gals with college beaux Sure had a lovely time And, I know, the rest of you did too, At spring vacation time.		6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	"Variety's the spice of life," Or so most people say. And that's the way the program was, On Junior talent day.	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	Did you go to the ball April twenty third? Did you see a mermaid there? Or did you escort King Neptune's daughter With a crown of coral in her hair?
24	25	26	27	Musician or teacher? Artist or preacher? Or will you sell shoes When the time comes to choose?	29	30

MAY

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
1	2	3	The senior trip to Chicago was really so much fun, That we wish that it had only now begun.	5	6	7
8	9	The orchestra—choir concert It really does appear, Was one of the best We have had in many a year.	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	"Time Out for Ginger," the senior class play, Shows us that our seniors have talent in great array. The play was wonderful, the acting fine! Just leave it to the seniors, any old time!		21
22	It took lots of skill, hard work, and pep, But the woodworking classes did it. They constructed a building of the finest kind, Where much of the athletic equipment can be kept.		25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

JUNE

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
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12	13	14	15	16	17	18

That long awaited
day is here at last,
Though some may
feel their high
school years have
gone too fast,
Many still have years
to go ahead
And though it's
many and many a
time been said,
Let's make the years
to come the best
we've ever had.

"Afoot and light-hearted I take to the open road,
Healthy, free, the world before me,
The long brown path before me leading wherever I choose.
Henceforth I ask not good-fortune, I myself am good-fortune,
Henceforth I whimper no more, postpone no more, need nothing,
Done with indoor complaints, libraries, querulous criticisms,
Strong and content I travel the open road."

— *Walt Whitman*

HOMECOMING

The time—7:59 A.M., October 1st, 1954. The place—Beloit Memorial High School. The assignment—Beat Kenosha.

At 7:59 A.M. we are busy working on floats. Our spirits are high though the day is dreary. By 9:32 half the students are working—the rest watch from windows. Working isn't easy—we have to stop many times because of rain. By 12:54 things don't look good. We started out with 39 floats,—now we have 29.—More are washing out all the time. We have to make the decision!—will we have a parade?

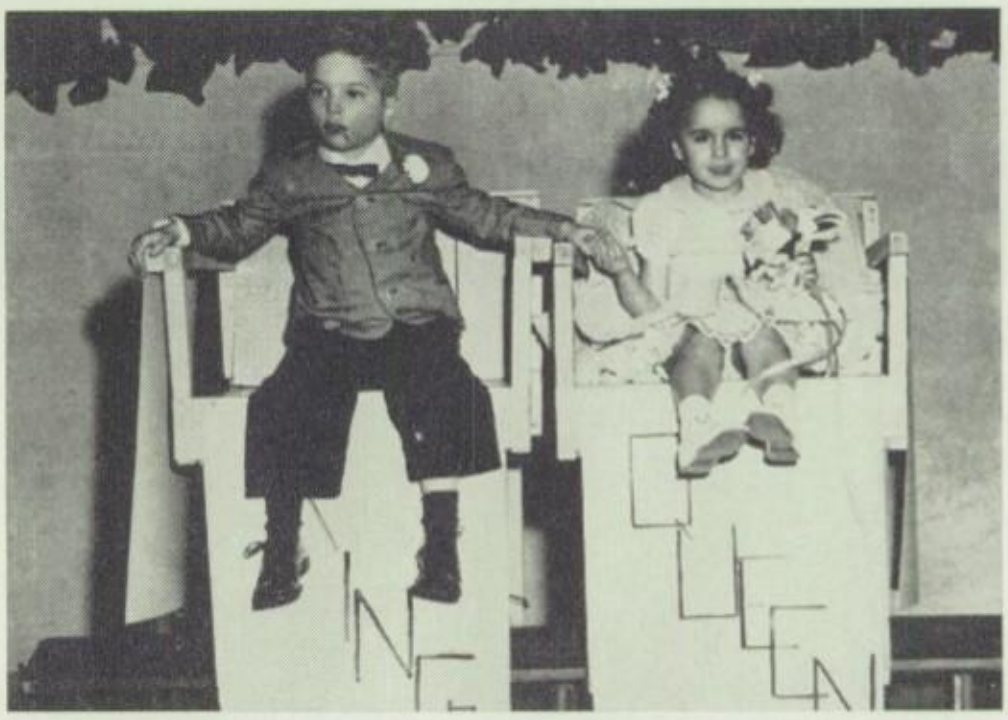
At 2:46—the parade starts. The rain has faked us out, but all our spirits have not been dampened. Twenty-one floats brave the storm and finish the parade. The winners—Art Club, out the clubs, and Mrs. Burn's homeroom, A32, for the homerooms.

The time—7:14 P.M. The place—Strong Stadium. The event—the coronation. President Jim Luety leaps over a puddle—takes his place at the throne—places the crown on the head of Queen Dena McCauley—and presents her with the traditional "Victory Kiss." Attendants Mary Ann Wright, Joan Polaski, seniors; Mimi Winger, Susan Brownell, Juniors, Judy Archambault, and Theo Vitakis, sophomores look on.

At 7:46—the game started. At 9:27—It was over. The score—Kenosha 13—Beloit 7.

The time 9:49 P.M. The place—Memorial gym. The event—Homecoming Dance. Danced to the music of Louie Dalvit's orchestra. The case closed—the verdict—A good time was had by all!

MIDGET HOMECOMING



The time—7:59 P.M., February 11, 1955. The place—Memorial Gymnasium. The assignment—Beat Madison West.

For days, we have prepared miniature floats built on wagons, tricycles, and scooters. The rain won't prevent this Homecoming.

This idea is new—the first Midget Homecoming ever held. It will—it must —be a success.

At 8:34 P.M.—the parade starts the route around the basketball court. The King—Dana Knutson, The Queen — Janie Dominguez. The small court leads the parade. The court consisted of Michael Real, Lynne Jo Harstad, and Kathy Kemnitz.

Queen Janie is presented with the "Kiss of Victory" and her crown by Jim Ewing, co-captain while King Dana received a manly handshake and his crown from Co-Captain Dwayne Berg.

At 8:00 P.M.—The game started. At 9:29 P.M.—It was over—The score—Madison West 65, Beloit 55.

The time 9:37 P.M. The place—Memorial gym. The event—Midget Homecoming Dance. The High School Swing Band provided the music for the event. The case closed — the verdict — Successful new venture.

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Merlin ..... Jack Hill
Sir Sagramor ..... Peter Johnson
Clarence ..... Reed Kammerer
Elaine ..... Carol Bellard
Sir Launcelot ..... John Reinholz
Queen Morgan Le Fay ..... Geraldine Scodwell
Sandy ..... Sally Mountain
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Ladies of the Court ..... Bonnie Campbell, Karen Emilson, Rondi Malsh, Joan Haase, Carol Knutson, Tanis Carroll, Sonia Meyers, Joyce Ringquist, Nancy O'Brien, Nadine Taylor, Estella Cushman, Arlene Brown, Virginia Richardson.

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

The Prologue: A living room in Hartford, Connecticut. The present.
The Play: The Court of King Arthur
Act I: June 21, 538 A.D.
Act II: Scene I: Immediately after the end of the first act.
Scene II: A year later.
Act III: Nightfall, the same day.
The Epilogue: Hartford again. The present.

PRODUCTION STAFF

Director ..... Elizabeth Reinholz
Student Director ..... Barbara Bunnell
Stage Manager ..... Bruce Fowler
Lights .... Carlos Sweeney, Fred Ford, Bruce Fowler
Sound ..... Catherine Schowalter, Jacqueline Burnham
Crew ..... John Reinholz, Walter Strong, Eugene Freeman, John Wilhelm, Tom Rhodes, Jan Ocker, Clarence Arbuthnot
Set Construction ..... Mr. A. R. Kammerer, Ann Wiley, Catherine Schowalter, Jacqueline Burnham, Karen Emilson, Nadine Taylor, Walter Strong, John Reinholz, Ned Harrington, Fred Ford, Carlos Sweeney, Bruce Fowler, Jack Hill
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Left to right: Mr. George Oberg, Advisor; Jerry Fisher, Mary Wong, Mary Ann Wright, tri-editors.

THE BELOITER STORY

As another school year ticks off its final days we of the Beloiter staff reflect back on our efforts, our trials and triumphs. This is the time of the year when we can put the covers on our typewriters, throw away our pencil stubs and tighten the caps of the glue pots. Our job is done—the book has been completed.

September found us in the planning and organizing stage. This year, by chance, we found a theme that tickled our fancy and was fun to work with.

Heading our hard working crew were Mary Ann Wright, Jerry Fisher and Mary Wong. Sometimes the going was rough—but always we found compensation. Jerry left our ranks in April leaving us capable Jim Wescott to become a loyal and ambitious sports editor. Bruce Fowler and Barbara Bunnell took over the senior section and did a magnificent job. Alone, Jackie Burnham edited the faculty section solving every problem that confronted her. Bette Willever executed the job of sophomore editor with thoroughness and dispatch. Sandy Burnham and Donna Rae Chayer saw to it that the junior section found its way into our book—no small task. Rolf Mjaanes proved himself a capable and conscientous music editor. For the second year Bob Petrof efficiently acted the role of ROTC editor and in addition joined forces with Roy Ramsing and Ron Borgwardt to take the many fine pictures found in the book. Bob and Roy have been Beloiter photographers for three years. We are going to miss their splendid service and loyalty when September, 1955, is top page on the calendar. And Alice Porter—Alice was really our gal Friday. She took charge of the Senior Index—and did so much more, she typed, she checked, she posted, she ran errands. Wherever and whenever Alice could, she helped out.

Top (left to right): Nancy O'Brien, Bob Petrof, Roy Ramsing, Bruce Fowler, Alice Porter, Rolf Mjaanes.

Left (left to right): Ron Borgwardt, Bette Willever, Sandy Burnham, Donna Rae Chayer.

Art Crew in Action (left to right around the table): C. Schowalter, J. Olson, W. Blum, S. Owens, E. Wheeler, G. Chalmers, J. Lang, W. Gordon, K. Hauger, L. Nelson, E. Cushman, S. Brant, D. Kever.

Bruce Fowler and Barbara Bunnell

James Wescott

Jacqueline Burnham

THE BELOITER STORY

We don't know what we would have done without the kindly assistance of Mrs. Dawes and the Beloiter Art Staff. To Kathy Hauger we owe deep thanks for what we consider to be a very attractive cover. At first we thought our cover would be in black and white, but at Mrs. Dawes' suggestion we asked our binders for a sample in avocado green and gold. Upon seeing the sample produced, opinion among us was unanimous and immediate that "this was it." Under the guidance of Mrs. Dawes, the art staff designed our division pages. It seemed like we were in business.

All did not go smoothly, however. Jerry left us for the classrooms of Northwestern. This was too much for Mary Wright's appendix, and it went on strike. They hadn't done much work but they kept Mary from our ranks for two weeks during a crucial period.

Mary came back and we had just nicely pressed her nose to the grindstone when tragedy struck again. Jim Wescott—just to prove he's a kid at heart signed a contract with something called chickenpox—which kept him from school for 8 critical days.

We had an assortment of general troubles. Pictures and copy had a way of misplacing themselves. The weather didn't always cooperate when we wanted pictures with an outdoor background. We worried and chewed our fingernails—but kept smiling and won out.

We have lived with our book for a long time and have baptized it with sweat and tears. We hope you like it.

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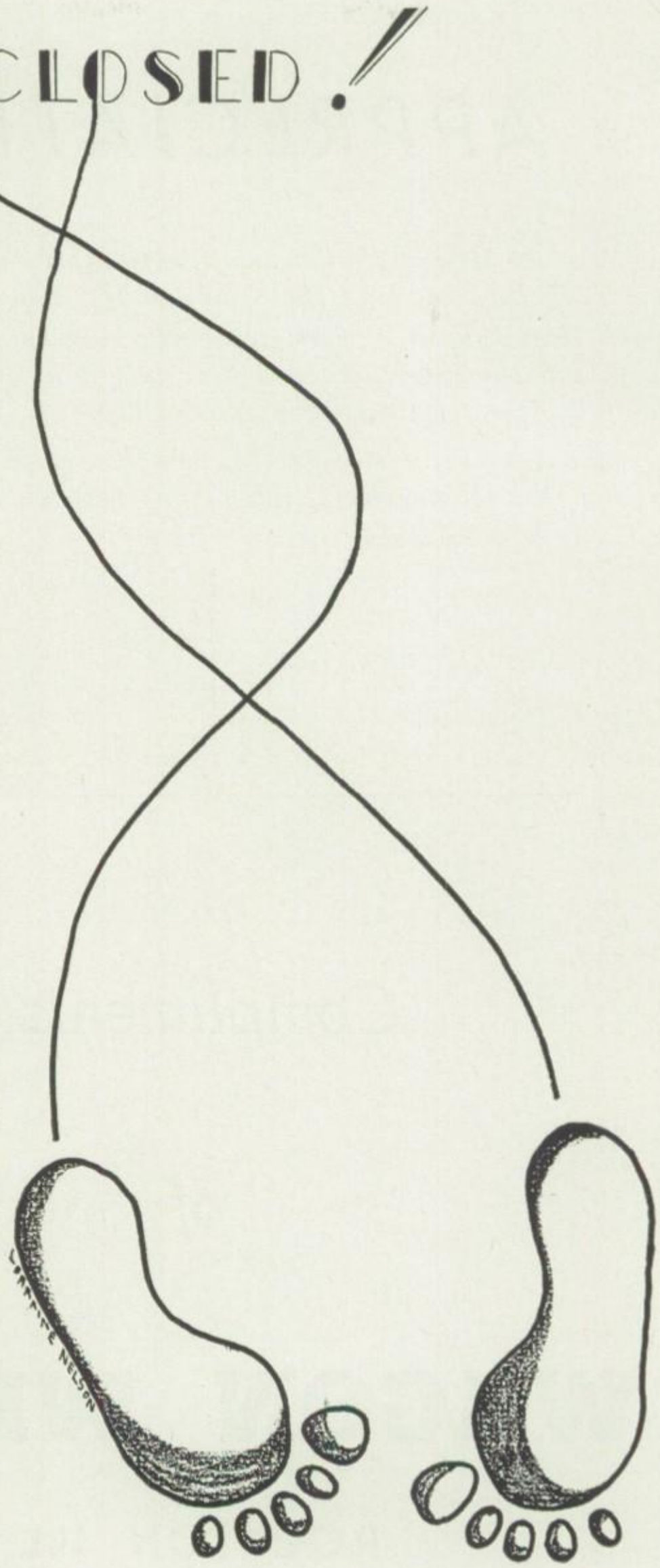

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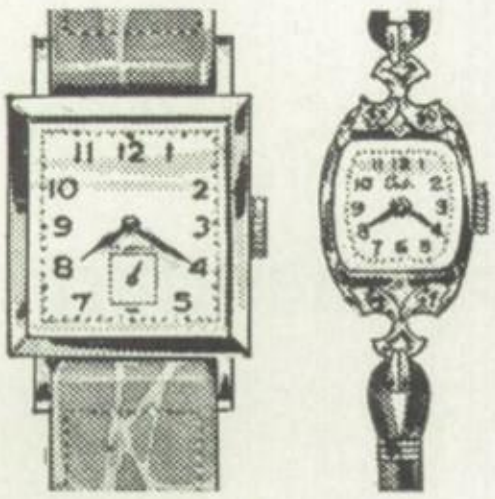

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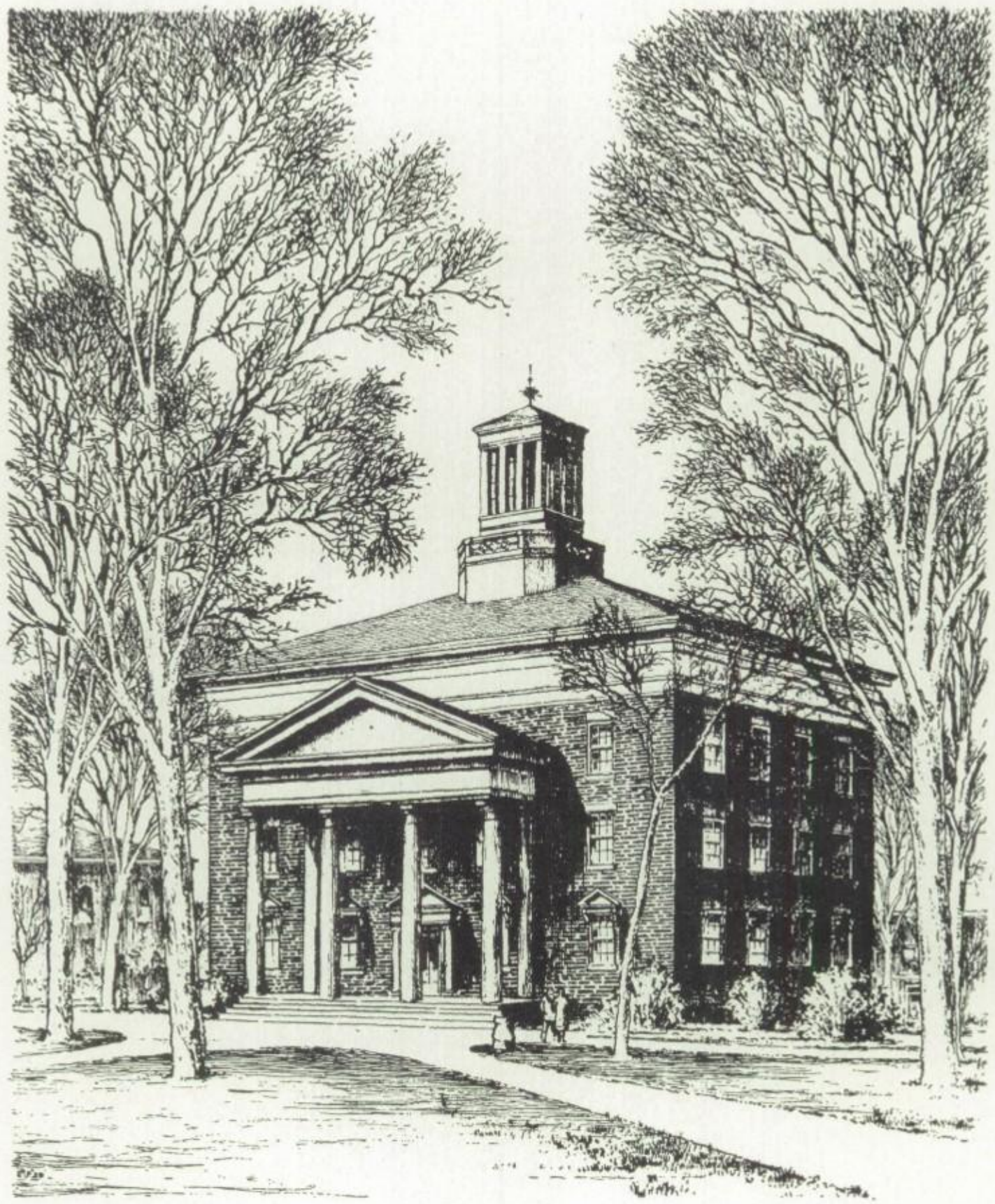

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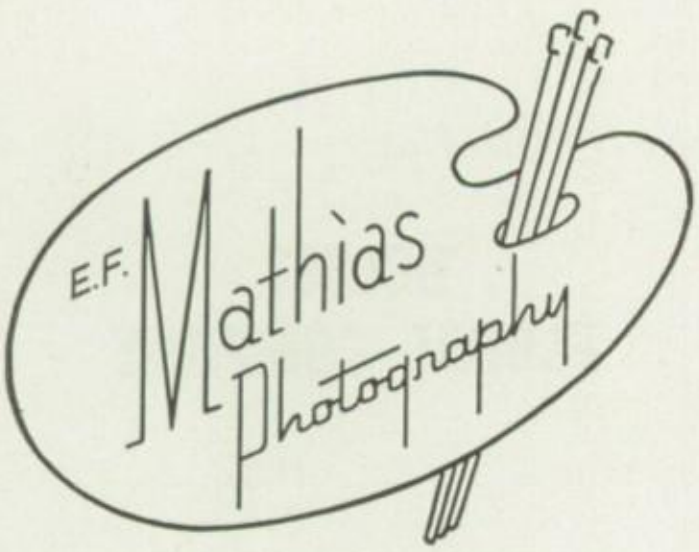

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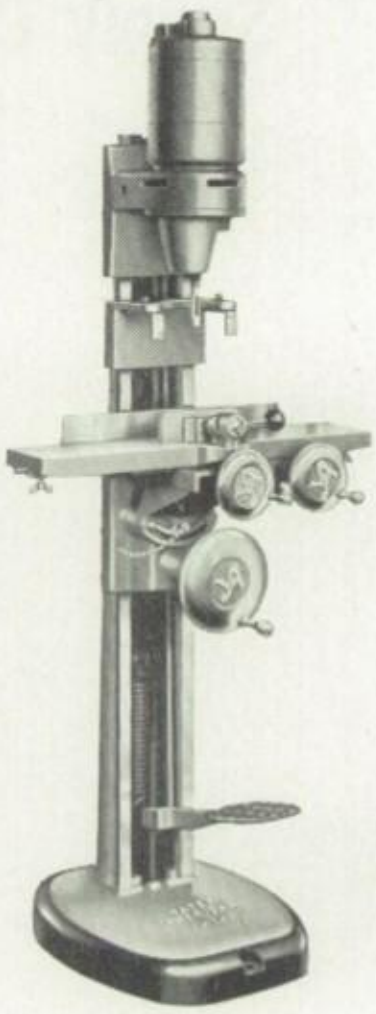

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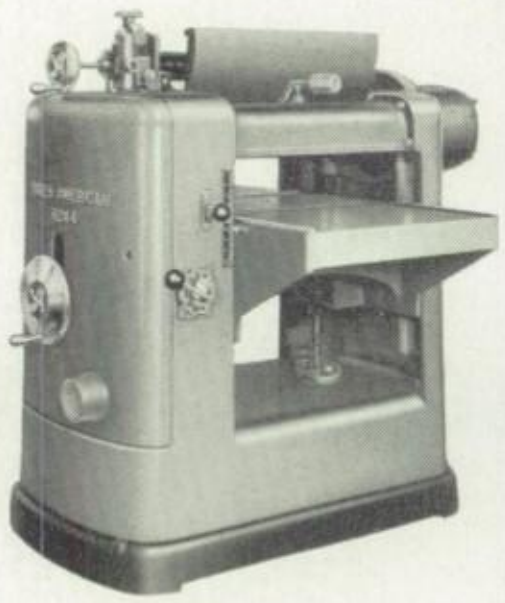

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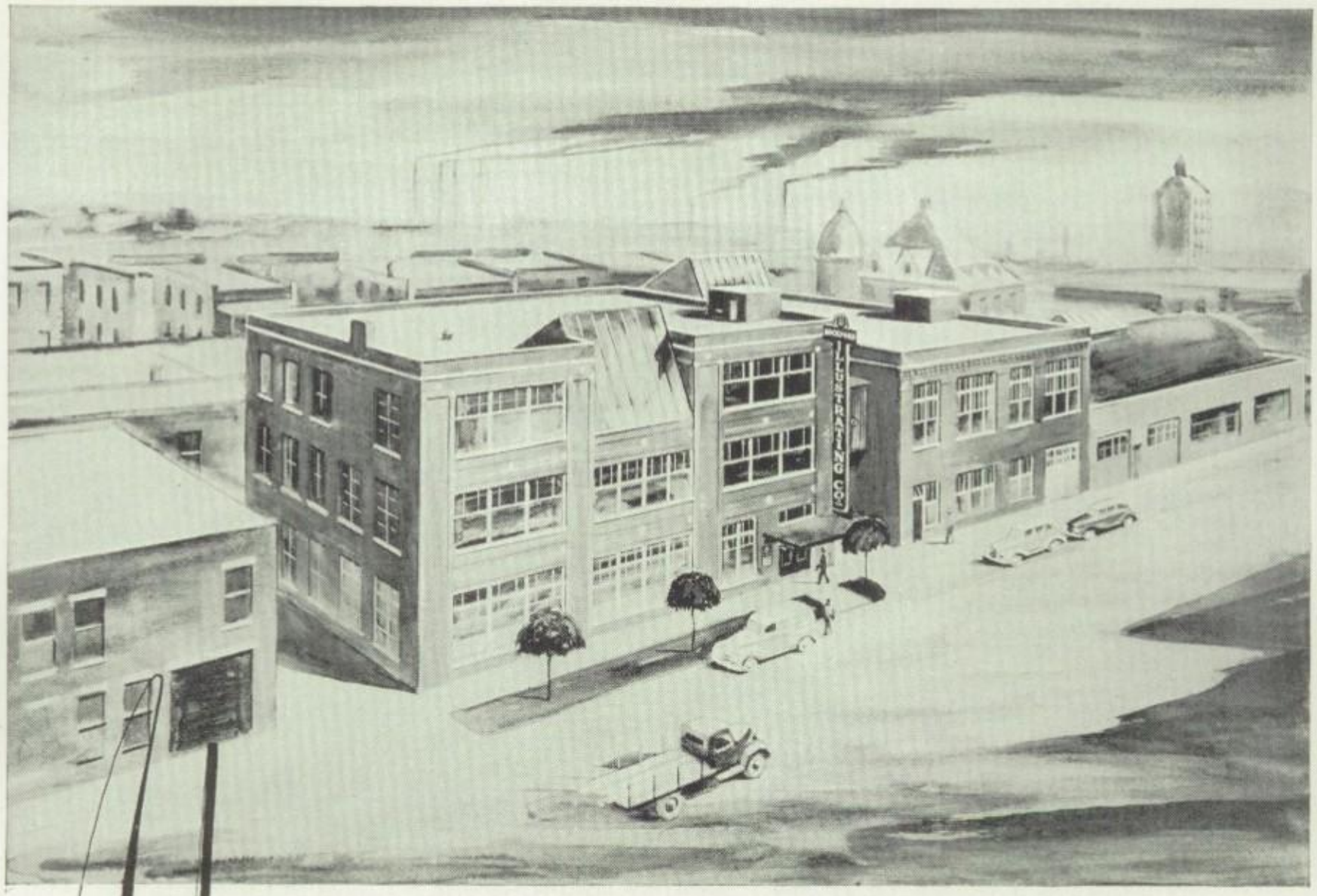

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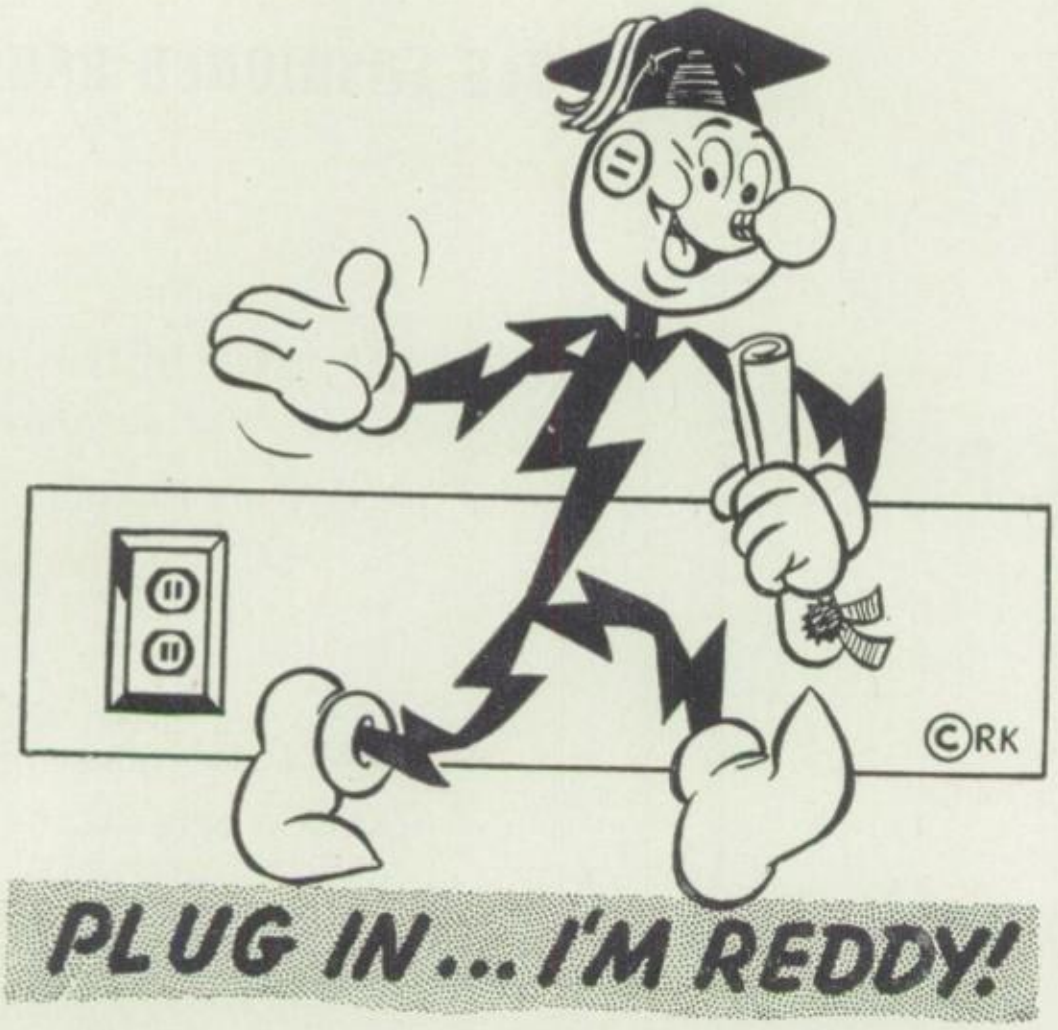

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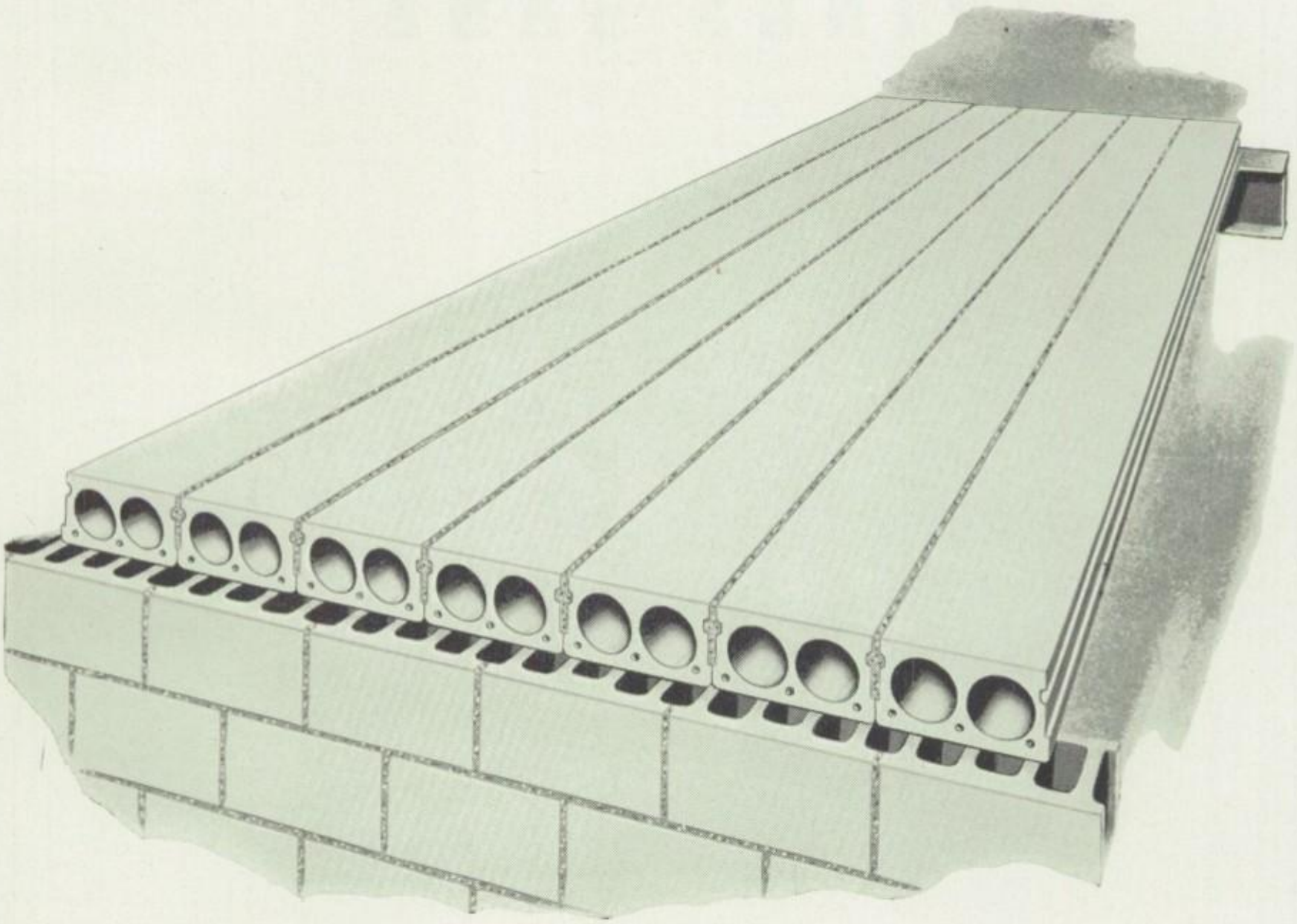

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